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GRAND JURY REPORT TO END STRIKE

Indictments Against All Five Lowell Defendants

The grand jury reported at the court house in Lowell this morning and almost turned right round and walked right out again for they were here less than half an hour and the local police didn't know of their presence until after they had gone.

Indictments were found in four Lowell cases. The Polish girl who was arrested on a charge of manslaughter as the result of the discovery of the dead body of her new-born baby wrapped in a bundle of clothes in a house in Stackpole street was indicted for concealing the death of her baby rather than for manslaughter.

Hector Mailloux and George Lefebvre were indicted for breaking and entering. John Syzbeck alias John McGuinn, was indicted for breaking and entering the store of Fred Timmons, while a similar indictment was found against George Pommerleau who pleaded guilty in police court this morning. Court will open on Monday in this city for the trial of cases with Judge Stevens on the bench.

BRAVERY DISPLAYED

At a Tenement House Fire in New York

NEW YORK, March 12.—Policemen and firemen had a hard fight yesterday afternoon at a fire in a five story tenement at 164 Forsyth street. The police started the rescue work, but were over- come before they had finished it and had to be taken out by the firemen. Two policemen went to Gouverneur hospital.

The fire started in the flat of Mrs. Sarah Richman on the second floor. The tenement is almost directly in the rear of the Eldridge street police station and the men on reserve who were playing handball in the yard saw the smoke and heard the cries of the tenants before the alarm was sent in. Six of them, Martin Owens, August Schimp, George Little, Lehigh, Stanford and Wadsworth, ran up to the second room, climbed out through the window and across on the top of a brick wall to the rear of the burning tenement.

The flames were shooting from the windows of the second and third floors where Owens and Schimp pulled them selves up to the fire escape and clambered up the ladders. They were badly singed on the way up.

Stanford and Little detached the ladders from the next building and climbed up on the outside of the railings. Even at that distance from the windows Little's hand was scorched. Owens and Schimp had climbed through a window on the third floor. The hallway was so filled with smoke that they had to grope their way to a door behind which they heard cries. The door was locked and some time was lost before it was opened. Inside they found Mrs. Minnie Brennsfiter and her two children, Rose, two years old, and Isidore, four.

Escape by way of the fire escape was cut off and the two policemen started to carry the frightened family up the stairs to the fourth floor. Owens heard some one in the room across the hall and taking the boy in his arms he went back. He found Mrs. Rose Flitzer, 60 years old, and started back up the stairs with her and the boy. At the top of the stairs they found Schimp and his two charges overcome by smoke.

Owens kept on, intending to get Mrs. Flitzer and the boy to a window and go back for the others. He, too, fell within a few feet of the window, and it was Mrs. Flitzer who staggered to the net, came air and hung across the window all, with Isidore under her arm. There the firemen found them, and just as they reached her her hold relaxed and the boy would have fallen four stories down the airshaft had they not caught him.

When Hook and Ladder 5 pulled up the hallway of the tenement was choked with smoke and Capt. Walsh led his men—Hannagan, Wintrich, Buzgeln, Hartman and Heinrichs—up the fire escape to the roof. Using their six foot hooks to swing from the six firemen dropped twenty-five feet to the roof of 166 Eldridge street, the Jewish synagogue.

The firemen pulled Mrs. Flitzer and Isidore across the airshaft to safety and then Hannagan and Wintrich, both medal men, went in and found Owens lying on the floor. They brought him out to the roof of the synagogue, and his first words were "Get me back again. Get the others." There are three more in there," he gasped.

Buggeln, Hartman and Heinrichs, with Capt. Walsh, felt their way to the landing at the head of the stairs, where they found Schimp, Mrs. Brennsfiter and Rose. The woman and girl had partly recovered from their dose of smoke, as they were next the floor and shielded by the policeman's body, but Schimp was still unconscious.

The four other policemen after mak-

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ing sure that no one was left in the building got to the roof of the synagogue in time to help the firemen give first aid treatment to the injured.

By the time Dr. Cheatham had arrived from Gouverneur hospital they were all conscious. He bandaged Pomerleau's burned hand and took Schimp and Owens to the hospital. They were burned about the faces, bodies and legs. Their condition is not regarded as serious.

An hour's work put out the fire, with about \$1,000 damage. The northbound Second avenue cars were stalled for that length of time.

NEW HAVEN ROAD

Will Not Oppose the Grand Trunk

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Mar. 12.—The prospects for the extension of the Grand Trunk system to Providence appear much brighter than they have been at any time in the opinion of business men. The business community expressed surprise today that the New York, New Haven & Hartford has agreed not to oppose the Canadian road's application for a charter, which is to be acted upon shortly by the Rhode Island legislature. Next Tuesday, when the legislative committee on corporations resumes its hearings on the application, President Mellen of the New Haven road will probably attend if he considers it necessary after the statement made at the session late yesterday by Vice President Buckland.

Speaking for the New Haven road, Mr. Buckland said: "I wish to say that if the proposed charter to be granted the New England R. R. Co. is the bona fide desire of a reputable, solvent corporation to enter Rhode Island it would be useless and foolish for me to attempt to stop it, for it would be so obviously for the interests of the state of Rhode Island."

BRACELET FOUND

IT WAS PICKED UP IN A GUTTER

NEW YORK, March 12.—Mrs. Edward T. H. Tuxedo has recovered a flexible link bracelet, with sapphires setting, said to be worth \$500, which was missing for four days. It was found by a laborer, who received a reward of \$200.

Mrs. Talmage has an apartment at the Gotham. She drove from the hotel last Friday in a taxi cab to the United Charles building, at Twenty-second street and Fourth avenue. When she returned to the hotel her bracelet was missing. Her jeweler advertised in a newspaper, describing the bracelet and offering a reward of \$200. Nothing was heard of it until Wednesday, when a man roughly dressed presented himself at the jeweler's, produced the bracelet and received the reward.

According to the story current yesterday the man was working in an excavation in Fourth avenue near Twenty-eighth street when his glance was attracted by something glittering in the gutter. He made a dash for it, put it in his pocket and then watched the papers. All the time Fourth avenue diggers are on the lookout for diamonds now.

FUNERAL NOTICE

ROBINSON—Died in this city, March 11, Mr. Henry H. Robinson, aged 46 years, 8 mos., 15 days. Funeral services will be held from his late residence, 37 June street, on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers J. B. Currier Co.

FIRE LOSSES IN MAINE.

AUGUSTA, Me., March 12.—Losses incurred by fire insurance companies of other states in Maine the past year amounted to \$1,526,403 and were 57.25 per cent. of the premiums collected according to a preliminary report today by State Insurance Commissioner Beecher Putnam. The amount of risks written by these companies during the year was \$179,667,431.



Philadelphia People Depend on President Taft

PHILADELPHIA, March 12.—With the federal government interested, the National Civic Federation appealed to its assistance, and nearly every local trade and other organization aroused to action, all Philadelphia hopes that the general movement started yesterday to speedily end the big labor conflict will bring about the desired end. This is the twenty-second day of the strike and the eighth of the general walkout in support of the trolley men's cause and neither side to the controversy shows any disposition to yield.

All the plans so far devised call for arbitration. The striking car men are willing to submit their grievances to impartial judges but the directors of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. have repeatedly declared that they will consider no further plans looking for arbitration. They have several times announced that the strikers must first return to work and their grievances will then be taken up. If the company can be forced to concede from that position those interested in bringing an end to the trouble believe a speedy adjustment will be made. There are other people who believe that a great principle is involved and that the company will continue to resist all efforts to force it to arbitrate.

The belief is general that if President Taft should see his way clear to attempt to bring about peace a plan may be found that will bring the warring elements together. There is no law under which the president can act as inter-state commerce is not involved and whatever steps he may take probably would be along the lines President Roosevelt laid down when he intervened in the anthracite coal strike in 1902.

Little Change

There has been little change during the last few days in the general strike situation. The number of men who went out in response to a speedy adjustment is still in dispute. Employers hope that next Monday will see a breaking up in the sympathetic strike.

Many large establishments state that their employees have notified them that they will return to work on Monday. The history who shut down their 130 mills this week, will re-open Monday morning and they expect that a majority of their 25,000 idle employees will return.

The strike leaders say they look for no break and express confidence that the men who went out in sympathy with the car men will stand firm. The committee of ten has announced that if the car strike is not ended within 48 hours a general movement will be started among the men who obeyed the general strike order to demand better conditions in their various occupations. How far this movement will go cannot be predicted.

PRES. GOMPERS IS SILENT

ON NATION-WIDE STRIKE

WASHINGTON, March 12.—"In regard to the extension of the strike from Philadelphia to the state of Pennsylvania or to the country, I do not want to discuss that subject for publication at this time," said President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor yesterday, in discussing the possibility of a state-wide or nation-wide strike as a result of the Philadelphia labor controversy. "Whatever plan may have for the protection of labor," he continued, "I do not know that it is necessary to publish or proclaim. The forces arrayed against labor meet in secret and plan their schemes. They take notice of the public nor labor into their conference. We will to the best we can to protect the rights and interests of the working people."

Referring to the action of the Philadelphia authorities yesterday in prohibiting the holding of a mass meeting at the baseball park, Mr. Gompers said the men were treated as the "sacks that the United States rather than as citizens of the United States." "An attempt such as this," he said, "to deny and prohibit free assembly, and free speech, and to wantonly

ruthlessly and brutally club men, women and children in the effort to exercise their right of free speech and free assembly, is bound to react.

"In the United States we are led to believe that we are entitled to these rights under the constitution, and for the moment a corrupt gang, such as obtains in Philadelphia, may have the upper hand, but that cannot last long, not in free America. It is something that Philadelphia corporations and politicians do not seem to understand, that the greatest safety lies in freedom."

Reviewing the situation, Mr. Gompers said that everything was done by the men that could be done with honor to avoid the strike.

AUTO SMOKE

OBJECTED TO BY NEW YORK WOMEN

NEW YORK, March 12.—Headed by Miss Katherine Day, chairman of the street committee of the Women's Municipal League, a delegation of women attended a public hearing held yesterday by the committee on laws and legislation of the board of aldermen on the pending ordinance making it an offense to allow the emission of "smoke" from automobiles.

Miss Day said that smoking automobiles endangered women and children crossing streets by blinding them and placing them in peril of being run over. Mrs. John Rogers of the hygiene committee of the Federation of Women's clubs insisted that public health demanded restriction on the belching of flames from automobiles.

Others who spoke in favor of the proposed ordinance were Charles J. Campbell of the Hotel Men's association, Dr. Holbrook Curtis, Col. Crosby of the National Highway Protective association, Fredrick G. Cook, president of the Fifth Avenue association, and John Coleman of the West End association.

Today marks the 80th anniversary of the birth of that scholarly, benevolent and venerable man, Rev. John M. Greene, D. D., pastor emeritus of the Elliot Congregational church. Dr. Greene makes his home with his daughters, Misses Helen and Louise Greene, at Winter Hill, but he is coming to Lowell tomorrow and will be present at the morning service in the

Elliot church. A special musical service will be rendered and the Sunday school of the church will, at the close of the regular service, shower Dr. Greene with flowers. Eighty of the children, each carrying a pink, will pass to the desk at the doctor's side and will lay their fragrant, blushing pinks before him. The scene will be a pretty one.

PLEADS GUILTY

Pommerleau Held in \$600 For Burglary

Judge Pickman presided over the police court this morning and disposed of the morning's docket in 15 minutes.

There were five drunks. A clean looking man who was arrested last week and who appeared drunk in court when his trial came up for drunkenness came down from the firm this morning where he has been recovering from the effects of his prolonged spree for the past several days and was given a sentence of one month in jail, suspended for three months. When arrested he had \$5 in his pockets and the roll was returned to him this morning.

Pommerleau charged with breaking and entering the store of Fred Timmons and who came back from New York last evening and gave himself up pleaded guilty of breaking and entering and was held in \$600 for his appearance before the superior criminal court on Tuesday.

DEATHS

PRESCOTT—George Henry Prescott, one of the oldest and most respected residents of Forge Village, passed away at his home in Central street, Thursday evening, after a short illness, aged 81 years, 10 months and 10 days. Mr. Prescott was a veteran. He enlisted in 1863 in the 43th regiment, Massachusetts Volunteers, and was wounded at the battle of Fredericksburg and Antietam and South Mountain. After he recovered from his injuries he did hospital work for some time. In 1865 he received an honorable discharge.

Mr. Prescott then worked for the Remington rifle works in Providence, R. I. He was born in Westford on the Fletcher place, his mother being Mary Miriam Fletcher. Mr. Prescott had been a resident of this village and lived in the same house for over 40 years. He was a lover of flowers and always had the earliest and choicest that could be obtained.

Mr. Prescott was known as an upright, just, and very generous man, and was highly esteemed by everyone and the sympathy of the people is extended to the bereaved family. His wife, Mrs. Sophia Prescott died March 22, 1893. He leaves five children, Clifford H. Prescott of Nashua, N. H., Mrs. E. L. Baker of North Ware, Lester Prescott of Wakefield, Mrs. C. E. Maston of Fredericksburg, Md., and Clarence A. Prescott of Chicadee, N. H. Funeral services will be held at the home Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Deceased was a veteran of Ladd and Whitney Post 153, also a Free Mason and belonged to the Kaleb Butler lodge A. F. A. M. of Ayer. The veterans and Masons will perform the services at the grave.

PRESCOTT—Richard D. Prescott received word this morning of the death of his brother, Crawford E. Prescott, which occurred this morning at Hudson. Deceased who was 29 years old was a native of Forge Village, where he was born and lived until his marriage 15 years ago to Miss Flora A. Whitcomb, who survives him. He also leaves a brother, R. D. Prescott, and a half brother, Henry. Henry's death has removed within 12 hours of each other two of the few remaining Prescotts whose ancestors settled in this section in 1650.

TUCKER—Mrs. Elizabeth Tucker died yesterday at her home, 54 Orleans street, at the age of 31 years and seven months. She is survived by a husband, William W. Tucker; two daughters, two sisters, Emma and Amelia Zipper and one brother, Frank Zipper of Belmont, Mass.

ROBINSON—Henry H. Robinson died yesterday at his home, 37 June street, at the age of 46 years and 8 months. He is survived by two sisters, Misses Sophronia and Florence, of this city, and three brothers, Walter Robinson, Paul Robinson of New York and Frank Robinson of Boston.

FUNERALS

BERKETT—The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Berkett took place yesterday afternoon from her home, 40 Warneck street, Rev. John T. Ullom, officiating. A quartet composed of Miss Mary Green, Miss Hazel Judkins, Mr. Elmer Olson and W. G. Parker sang "Lead Kindly Light," "Nearer My God, to Thee," and "Shall We Meet Beyond the River."

The following floral tributes were received from the large host of friends of the deceased: Pillow, "Wife" from the husband; wreath, "Mother" from the children; basket cut flowers, grandchildren; wreath, "Sleeping," Mr. Elmer Olson; wreaths, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McKee, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Judge, Mr. and Mrs. James Hamilton and Miss Hazel Judkins, White Apron club, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blower, Spooling room, Walsh mills, Robert

Catherwood and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. Spencer and Miss Annie Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas England, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dowrey, Mr. and Mrs. John Stanope, Albert Stanope, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Wilde and Mrs. Mary England, Frank L. Gallison of Lawrence; pillow, Alpha Social club; sprays, Mr. and Mrs. Lutes of Medford; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Adler, Mr. and Mrs. Mattheus of Tewksbury; Mr. and Mrs. K. D. McKinnon, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. Michael McDermott, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harmon, Frederick Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. William Hall, Mr. and Mrs. John McCord, Stead children, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Regan, Miss Anna McDougall and Helen McElroy, Mr. and Mrs. George Quinn, Mr. and Mrs. Shore and Mrs. Whitney and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. Britwell, Mrs. James Miller and Jessie and Joseph; Daisy and Sadie Midgley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Livingston, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leith and Miss G. Black; cut flowers, Mr. and Mrs. James Stead, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Dinsmore of Tewksbury, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Parker and Mrs. R. S. Parker; sheafs of wheat, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rudden, Mr. and Mrs. A. Chapman, Jr.; violets, Dr. O. P. Porter. The bearers were Robert Catherwood, Charles Judge, George Dowrey and Henry Robertshaw. Arrangements were in charge of W. G. Parker and burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

LESLEY—The funeral of Mrs. Catharine E. Leslie took place from her home, 17 Arthur street, yesterday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. George B. Dean, pastor of St. Paul's M. E. church. The body was sent this morning to Orono, N. H., where burial will take place. The J. E. Currier company had charge of the arrangements.

REV. MR. WARD

IS CONDUCTING A CAMPAIGN IN ERIE, PA.

Rev. Charles S. Ward, who conducted the Y. M. C. A. campaign in this city, is now in Erie, Pa., conducting a campaign for \$200,000. After the campaign in Erie, he will go to Birmingham, Ala., where \$275,000 was secured in 12 days. \$63,000 of this amount being for the Y. M. C. A.

In Cleveland the amount of \$540,000 was secured and then \$100,000 for the Y. M. C. A.

CARD OF THANKS.

We, the undersigned, wish to express our sincere thanks to those who in any way helped to lighten the burden of sorrow in the death of our beloved husband and father and particularly to the help of the spooning and dressing rooms of the Appleton Mfg. Co. Mrs. Mary A. Edwards, Mr. John Edwards, Miss Martha Edwards, Mrs. Mary Conway.

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MARINES BARRED

Not Allowed to Enter Theatre

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Two United States marines in uniform were denied admission to a theatre last night. The man at the door prevented their entering and handed them back the money they had paid for their tickets. The marines, however, demanded admission but were denied. They were Corporal Edward Powell and Private Samuel Algate of the 11th S. S. Mayflower.

The refusal of admission to the marines was not the first of its kind which had occurred recently at the same theatre. A conference was held yesterday between the proprietor and officers of the navy department. The proprietor told the officers that he excluded the men under a rule of the theatre prohibiting admission of persons conspicuously dressed.

He said: "Even President Taft would be excluded if he applied for admission dressed in a sweater and riding clothes."

Patrol societies have made an issue of the matter and further conferences are to be held pending possible action on the part of the excluded sailors.

CREW RESCUED

Officer and Five Men Picked Up

SEATTLE, Wash., March 12.—A special cable from Seward, Alaska, says that a wireless message received there from the United States revenue cutter Tahona tells of the rescue of the boat crew that set out nine weeks ago to seek aid for the survivors of the wrecked steamer Farallon, which was wrecked in Illama bay on Cook's Inlet Jan. 5. Two days after the disaster Second Mate Gus Swanson and five men set out in an open boat and were rescued by the cutter. The survivors who remained on the shore were rescued by the steamship Victoria. After the boat crew, which had been missing a month, had been rescued, the revenue cutter Tahona was sent on a cruise around Kodiak Island. No details of the rescue have been received.

CORPORATIONS

To Pay a Tax of Over \$25,000,000

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Approximately 300 corporations amenable to the law imposing a tax of one per cent. of their net incomes above \$2000 have made returns to the internal revenue bureau. Additional returns are expected to swell the number which will be dealing with the estimate made by the officials before the law became operative.

There are 109,000 corporations listed in the United States but a large number have for some time been generally regarded as "dead" and existing in name only.

It is now generally believed from the reports of collectors thus far at hand that the estimate of \$25,000,000 revenue from the corporation tax this year may be exceeded slightly.

BOY INJURED

IS IN DANGER OF LOSING TWO FINGERS

BOSTON, March 12.—Capt. Peabody of the day street station is investigating the circumstances surrounding the explosion of the heavy percussion caps which were being carried in the pocket of Eddie Stone, a Shubert theatre employee, resulting in serious injury to himself and Alex Phax, an 11-year-old boy, on North Russell street yesterday afternoon. Stone, many long two fingers and the boy's right ankle is badly cut and bruised.

In the heavy battle carried in Stone's pockets were several hundred caps used for certain stage effects, and he claims that while groping quickly aside to let others pass him on the street the bottle in his coat was swung against a brick building and exploded. Young Phax was sitting on the doorstep of a vacant store directly in the path of the explosion and but a few feet away. Although pieces of the glass flew over his head, something two plates of woodwork and gouging out pieces of the woodwork, his only serious wound is a laceration of his right ankle.

Stone ran to the Massachusetts General hospital, about 100 yards from the scene of the accident, and Phax was carried there by persons who witnessed the accident.

GIBBS DEFEATED O'CONNELL

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 12.—By forcing the fight for the last three rounds after he had been outboxed in the first five, Willie Gibbs, the Philadelphia lightweight, gained the referee's decision over Jeff O'Connell at the Memphis Athletic club last night. O'Connell's eye was torn and his mouth badly swollen as a result of Gibbs' punishment.

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CHANDLEY SHOT

After He Had Injured Two Persons

PAWTUCKET, R. I., March 12.—Reacting his expulsion last night by an officer from his wife's home at 210 West street, where he was an unwelcome visitor, Austin Chandley, 35 years old, returned and fired a revolver at his wife. The bullet missed her, but struck her sister, Mrs. Rose Cary, wounding her seriously in the right lung.

Michael Goodwin, a brother of Mrs. Chandley, then grappled with his brother-in-law and in the scuffle the latter was shot, not seriously, in the right breast. He then let go of Chandley, who escaped to another room, from out of which he fired at Officer Thomas Carr when the latter entered the room in response for help. Carr drew his pistol and fired twice, hitting Chandley in both shoulders. Chandley was taken to a hospital, where his condition is serious.

JIMMY GARDNER

Had Better of Bout With Clabby

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 12.—Jimmy Gardner of Lowell, Mass., and Jimmy Clabby of Milwaukee, fought a 10-round no-decision bout before the Badger A. C. last night. Both men finished strong. The verdict of the experts at ringside was that Gardner had a slight shade over his opponent.

The men fought at catch-weights. Gardner being apparently about 15 pounds the heavier.

THE GRAND TRUNK

To Build Road in Rhode Island

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 12.—The hearing on the Grand Trunk's application for a charter for the Southern New England Railway company in Rhode Island before the house committee on corporations closed with a dramatic climax, in which Vice President Edward G. Buckland of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad promised that his road would not oppose the pending charter.

The climax came as the result of the production of a cablegram from London, stating that the Grand Trunk's board of directors at a meeting there had fully endorsed the plan for the extension into this state. A few minutes before, refusing to be interrupted by the Grand Trunk representatives, Mr. Buckland had intimated that President Hayes of the Grand Trunk did not have the backing of his directors in making promise to build a road here.

The cablegram came here via the Grand Trunk's offices at Montreal, directed to First Vice President E. H. Fitzhugh, who spoke at the hearing here. Mr. Fitzhugh gave the message to John S. Minchey, the counsel for the road here. The cablegram came from President Hayes in London and was as follows:

"Providence branch discussed by board this morning; action taken fully approved and you may go state."

The reading of the cablegram was greeted with shouts and cheers and Chairman Hassard of the committee rapped vainly for order. Every eye turned on Mr. Buckland, who was manifestly surprised. Mr. Buckland said, "Undoubtedly that is the vote of the board of directors of the Grand Trunk railway of Canada. If the vote is forthcoming I absolutely withdraw the objections I have made. These words bespeak doubt as to the bona fide nature of the petition and the Grand Trunk's purposes in securing the charter. Before the reading of the cablegram, he said that when there was a pledge on the part of the Grand Trunk railway to build this road, the objections which I have heretofore stated may be regarded as absolutely withdrawn and I shall then proceed to discuss some features of the charter."

HALLEY'S COMET

PROF. LOWELL DESCRIBES THE TAIL OF IT

BOSTON, March 12.—The "hottest" approach to nothing in the midst of night is the description given the tail of Halley's comet by Prof. Percival Lowell, astronomer and director of the Lowell observatory.

"On account of its vicinity it could have no injurious effect on humanity, even if it were the deadliest of gases," said Prof. Lowell in disputing the story that danger to the earth's inhabitants from a comet is possible and probable.

Further discussing the subject Prof. Lowell said:

"It is true that the approach of Halley's comet is the cause of storms and floods the world has experienced during the last few months we should have a never-ending succession of disasters for we are visited on an average by five or six comets each year, even though we do not see them."

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STORM WARNING

NEW YORK, March 12.—The local weather bureau has received the following special from Washington:

Northeast storm warning ordered displayed at 10 a. m. along the coast from Morehead City, N. C., to Boston, and high northerly winds shifting to northwest. Storm off North Carolina coast moving northwest.

RAILROAD MANAGERS REFUSE

CHICAGO, March 12.—It is unofficially announced that the railroad managers yesterday refused to submit every concession demanded by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers representing 25,000 men on the western roads, excepting arbitration of the wage question.

DELEGATES

To Attend Stationary Engineers' Convention

The 14th annual convention of the state association of the National Association of Stationary Engineers will be held in this city July 8 and 9, and about 500 delegates, visitors, and exhibitors are expected to be present. Prescott and Runkel halls have been secured for the convention and there will be an exhibition of steam appliances and supplies by local and other firms from all parts of the country. The state convention last met in this city in 1899. Since that time the association has grown and its prestige leads the manufacturers and dealers in steam appliances to exhibit at these conventions as they are in a position to meet those interested in what they have for sale. The public will be admitted free and those interested in steam plants will be urged to visit the exhibition. It will open at noon of the 7th and continue through the evening and all day of the 8th.

The convention proper will meet on the morning of the 8th. The 9th will be devoted to sightseeing and a field day at one of the nearby parks. On the eve of the 8th, either a banquet or smoker will be provided for the entertainment of the visitors.

The local association, No. 17, is putting forth its best efforts to make this the best state convention in the history of the organization.

Lowell, No. 17, is the second largest association in the state and the banner association of the country in the educational work of the national body, it having won two firsts, two seconds, and three thirds prizes, in as many years, a record that is not reached by any other association in the country and one of which it naturally feels very proud.

It numbers among its members the brightest and best engineers in this vicinity, and it has through its educational work and discussions saved thousands of dollars in plant failures which are fortunate to have an engineer or fireman in their employ who is a member of the association. Lectures by engineers and technical men are given during the fall and winter and with the educational work and discussions of mechanical engineering and plant failures which are fortunate to have an engineer or fireman in their employ who is a member of the association. Lectures by engineers and technical men are given during the fall and winter and with the educational work and discussions of mechanical engineering and plant failures which are fortunate to have an engineer or fireman in their employ who is a member of the association.

TEXTILE LOST

Defeated by Lawrence High Athletes

The brawn, muscle and agility of the Lowell Textile school received a set back at the hands of the Lawrence High school athletes in the city hall, Lawrence, last night. The Lowell boys defeated the Lawrence team 20 to 12. The Textile enthusiasts didn't make any loud noise in the street when they arrived "home" shortly before the midnight hour. The result of the event was as follows:

In the first trial heat of the 25-yard dash Wise of the Textile school was first and Ayer of Lawrence, second. The time was three seconds. In the second trial heat Mahoney was first and Bannan second, both Laurensians. The time was three seconds. Mahoney of Lawrence, won the final heat in 2.1-5 seconds, with Wise, Textile, second and Bannan, Lawrence, third.

In the 25-yard hurdles Ayer, Lawrence, won the first heat, with Johnson, Lawrence, second. Time 4-5 seconds. The second trial heat was won by Mahoney of Lawrence, with Wise, Textile, second. The time was 2-5 seconds. In the final Ayer of Lawrence was a winner, Mahoney, Lawrence second and Wise, Textile, third. The time was four seconds.

The 600-yard run showed Lawrence taking everything. Bannan was first, followed by Johnson, and Lawrence, third. The time was 1-26-2-3, a new record for the track.

In the high jump Bannan of Lawrence was first, jumping five feet and one inch, Grace, Textile, and Cheney, Textile, were second and third, respectively.

Lawrence took the top place in the shot put, Yale putting the sphere 27 feet and five inches. Middleton and Harrison, Textile, were second and third.

Elliott, Lawrence, won the 1000-yard run, doing it in two minutes and 45 seconds. Bannan, Textile, was second, and Sullivan, Lawrence, was third.

In the 300 yard dash Ayer of Lawrence won in 41-5 seconds. Teacher, Lawrence, was second, and Murphy, Textile, was third.

The class team race, between classes of '12 and '13 was won by the former in 2 minutes 42-5 seconds.

The relay race between Textile and Lawrence was won by the down-river men. The teams were made up as follows: Lawrence—Ayer, Mahoney, Teacher and Bannan; Textile—Almon, Murphy, Wise and Burt.

The officials of the games were as follows: Starter, W. A. Dunn; referee, D. J. Linnahan; clerk of course, E. J. Ford; judges, C. Seale, E. S. Riley and A. E. Bagley; inspectors, H. G. Nickerson, E. A. O'Brien, C. F. Sullivan and E. N. Hogan; announcer, Daniel O'Connell; timer, and measurer, J. E. Haight and H. H. Fox; scorer, J. E. Seifrank.

BOWLING CONGRESS

ST. LOUIS, March 12.—St. Louis was awarded the 1911 tournament and the old officers and members of the executive committee were re-elected with a few exceptions at the annual meeting of the American Bowling congress yesterday. On the above, another day passed without a change in the leadership in any of the three classes.

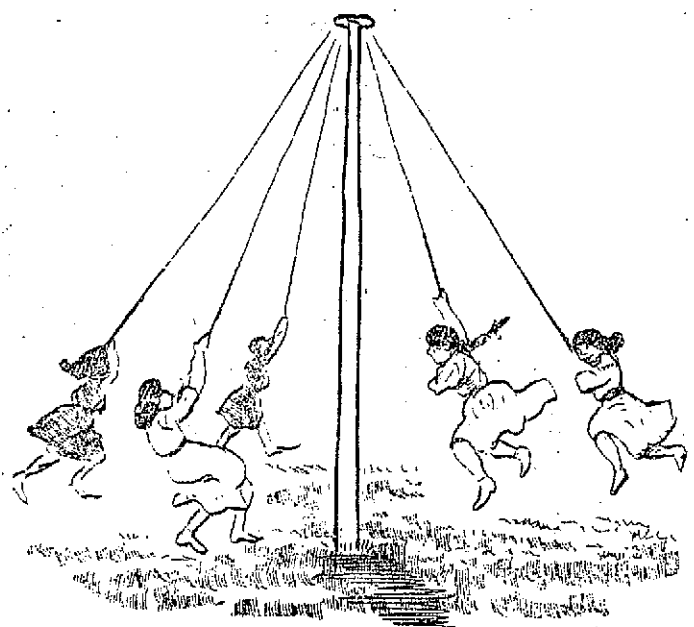
STORM WARNING

NEW YORK, March 12.—The local weather bureau has received the following special from Washington:

Northeast storm warning ordered displayed at 10 a. m. along the coast from Morehead City, N. C., to Boston, and high northerly winds shifting to northwest. Storm off North Carolina coast moving northwest.

PUBLIC PLAYGROUNDS

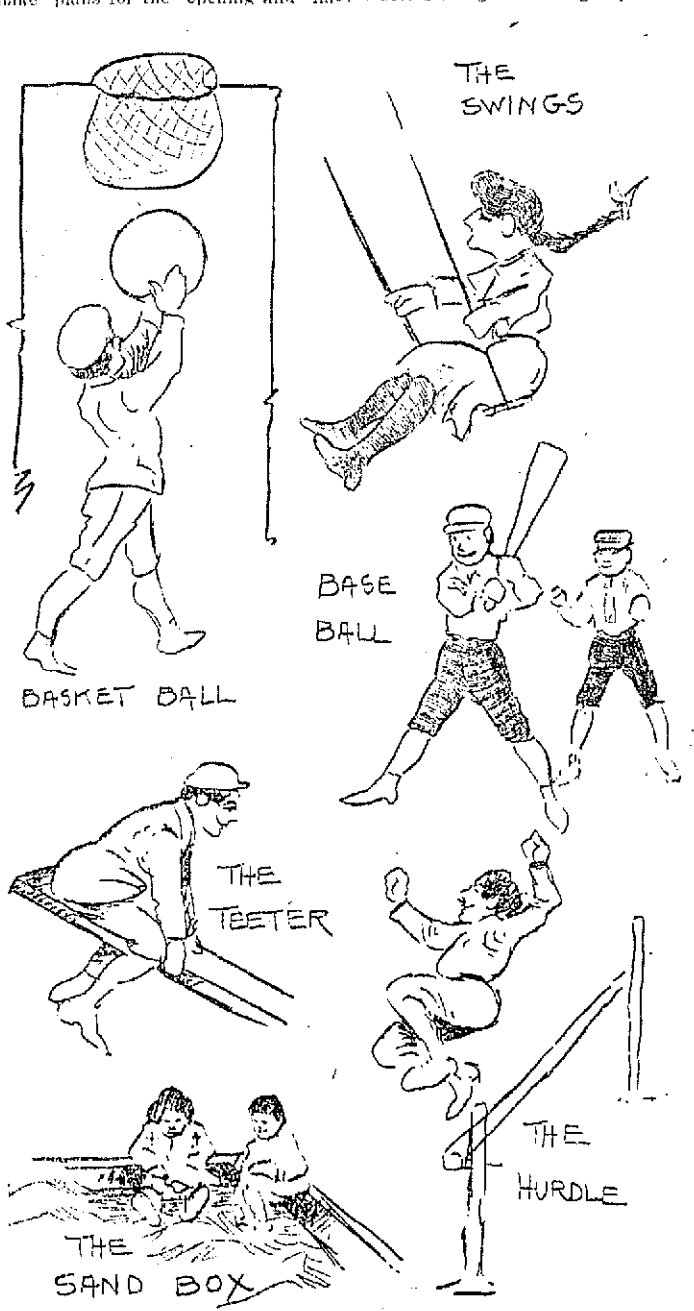
Judge Pickman Outlines Board's Plans for the Future



THE JOY OF PLAYING TOGETHER A FEATURE THAT MAY SOON BE SEEN IN LOWELL.

Apparatus and Supervisor for Little Canada Park—Money Needed to Complete the Playground at Fort Hill Park—Shower Baths to be Installed There

While there is a general sentiment abroad for a city beautiful, more breathing places for the residents of the city, the park commission appears to be the only organization that is doing any practical work along these lines for the commission has recently appointed a sub-committee consisting of the chairman and Mr. Greene and Mr. Pickman to look into the matter.



PLAY GROUND PLEASURES SUCH AS WE MAY SEE ON OUR PUBLIC PLAYGROUNDS DURING THE COMING SUMMER.

provement of the local playgrounds, last year the supervisors were allowed a free hand relative to hours that this year we will have a regular schedule of hours and duties for them as the playgrounds will be improved and will accommodate a greater number of children than formerly. We have a new playground this year that speaks of the work with a report.

Hot Water

WHILE YOU WAIT

A NEW PROPOSITION TO LOWELL PUBLIC

We invite Housekeepers to come to our John Street Appliance Store to see and to understand the working of a Water Heater.

The Vulcan Heater

An appliance for the heating of water by gas flame. The appliance that will furnish hot water for dish washing in 5 minutes; that will furnish 10 gallons of hot water for the bath in 20 minutes. That in supplying 10 gallons of hot water will consume but one and one-third cents of gas.

OUR OFFER

We will install the Vulcan Heater in any house, set up complete ready to deliver hot water for \$15.00 Cash Payment, or we will do all as above on four instalment payments as follows:

First Payment.....\$5.00, when order is given
Second Payment.....\$4.00, at end of six months
Third Payment.....\$4.00, at end of twelve months
Final Payment.....\$3.00, at end of eighteen months

The Vulcan Heater will fit any and every kitchen. If this announcement shall interest you, it is for YOU to call at John Street Appliance Store where you may see the entire operations and fully understand. Three thousand (3000) of these Vulcan Heaters were placed in the city of Detroit, Mich., during 1909.

Lowell Gas Light Company

the Canada park, and we intend to place additional apparatus at Little Canada and have a supervisor there as well. Of course a supervisor will be necessary at the South common as was the case last year. As yet the schedules have not been arranged but everything will be in readiness when the good weather comes. The commission hopes this year to do more for the girls than was done last year. It hopes to do more for the girls than was done last year. It hopes to do more for the girls than was done last year.

YALE ATHLETE

IS SAID TO BE MENTALLY UNSOUND.

NEW YORK, March 12.—Lloyd Miller Vandeventer, a former Yale football player, was yesterday committed to Bellevue hospital by Magistrate O'Connor to be examined as to his mental condition, at the request of his wife, Mrs. Anna Vandeventer, who said he had been acting queerly for several days.

Mrs. Vandeventer insisted there was something the matter with her husband's mind. She said he had threatened her and she was afraid to live with him.

Mrs. Vandeventer's maiden name was Anna Strauss Blake. Her father, Nelson T. Blake, lives in Hampton, N. H. She was secretly married to Vandeventer while he was attending Yale.

SKULL FRACTURED

MAN IS NOT EXPECTED TO LIVE

NORRIDGEWOCK, Me., March 12.—Threatened, it is claimed, with assault by Ernest Warren, a former employe of George Harlow, a prominent lumber dealer, yesterday, it is charged, knocked the man down with a club. Warren's skull was fractured and he was hurt so severely he may die.

Mr. Harlow told the authorities that he had discharged Warren, who had worked at Harlow's sawmill at Martin Stream, three miles from here. After his discharge, Warren, according to Mr. Harlow, drank heavily and while intoxicated attempted to attack his former employer.

According to the police, Harlow said he was forced to strike him for self-protection. No arrest was made.

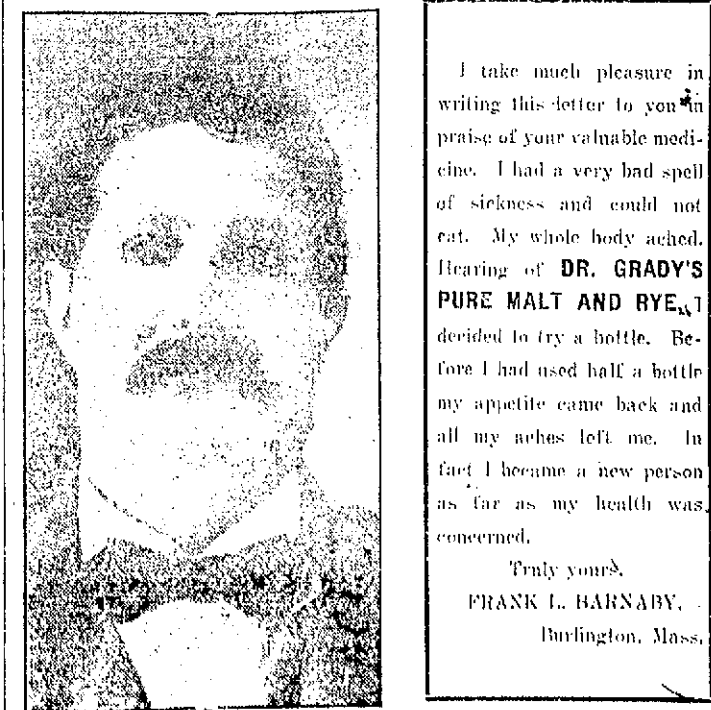
THE FAIRBANKS SAIL

LIVERPOOL, March 12.—Former Vice President and Mrs. Fairbanks sailed for New York today on the steamer Mauretania.

Appetite Restored

AND ALL MY ACHES LEFT ME

Read This Man's Testimonial



I take much pleasure in writing this letter to you in praise of your valuable medicine. I had a very bad spell of sickness and could not eat. My whole body ached. Hearing of DR. GRADY'S PURE MALT AND RYE, I decided to try a bottle. Before I had used half a bottle my appetite came back and all my aches left me. In fact I became a new person as far as my health was concerned.

Truly yours,
FRANK L. BARNABY,
Burlington, Mass.

NOTABLE BOOK

On Ireland by Editor
Sutherland of Phila.

"Ireland Yesterday and Today," a book by Hugh Sutherland, associate editor of the Philadelphia North American, and treating of the causes that oppressed Ireland, the movements that have largely overcome that oppression and that promise complete regeneration in the near future, is receiving the most flattering notices from the press of this country.

The Philadelphia North American, one of the oldest and greatest papers in this country, has been distinguished for supporting every movement looking to liberty and good government whether in this country or abroad. Several years ago, or to be exact, in the summer of 1902, it sent Mr. Hugh Sutherland to Ireland to investigate the land question as the war on the landlords was then at its height and the question of right and wrong as between the landlords and the people was the subject of much controversy.

Mr. Sutherland went to Ireland a disinterested and unprejudiced party to do the work assigned him by his newspaper. He made a tour of the country from north to south and east to west, entering the homes of the people, talking with farmers, the business men and even with the landlords, thus finding out for himself the facts of the situation. In a series of letters notable for their fairness and brilliancy he reported his personal observations to his newspaper in Philadelphia. These letters which were widely read presented the land question in a clearer light than ever before by any American newspaper. He explained the meaning of Irish landlordism, its effects upon political and economic conditions, the miseries of the people as a result of turning the best land into pastures and driving the people to the barren mountain sides. He told also of the agitation conducted by the Irish parliamentary party and the plans for the overthrow of the oppressive system of landlordism as well as the council by which it had so long been upheld and protected.

On his first visit he predicted the success of the Irish people in driving out the landlords, and this prediction was fully verified as shown by the letters written on his subsequent visit. The fact for the abolition of landlordism in Ireland was passed in 1903 and after six years under that act the progress noted by Mr. Sutherland on his second visit in 1909, was really astounding.

In his tour he passed largely over the same ground he had trodden in 1902, in order that he might note the changes, if any, in local conditions effected during that time. If the letters of his former visit were discouraging from their description of misery and gloom, his second series of letters formed a striking contrast in their expression of the new spirit that had possessed the people; the hopes that had inspired them with the departure of the landlords and the restoration of the land to the people from whom it was stolen centuries before. The evidences on every hand of a general uplift, of Boston.

coming prosperity, content and happiness were all reflected in these letters from Mr. Sutherland, as published in the Philadelphia North American. The letters created something of a sensation in this country as indicating the accomplishment of a peaceful revolution in Ireland through the work of the United Irish League.

After describing the vast improvements in the homes of the people and their modes of living, Mr. Sutherland turned to the question of home rule, and on this subject he gives some of the most valuable historic information regarding the alleged conquests of Ireland, the penal laws, the corruption that led to the act of union, the misgovernment by Dublin castle, and the reign of landlordism, which made home rule impossible.

In concluding his letters, Mr. Sutherland predicts that home rule is bound to come if the people support the movement under Mr. Redmond. These letters are entirely the most illuminating that can be found on the Irish question. They show the result of great research and are beyond a doubt the most careful presentation of the events that have swayed the destinies of Ireland for the past century.

Some of Mr. Sutherland's descriptions are very graphic. One of particular note tells of the last eviction at which the policemen of Ireland assisted, an eviction that today would be impossible. It is a touching story of a great battle at the close of the land war, a battle in which the people fought against the eviction of a farmer until overcome by the battering rams and bayonets of the government cohorts, sent to enforce the decrees of landlordism. No eviction of the kind will ever again occur in Ireland, Mr. Sutherland asserts.

A great many of the sympathizers with the Irish parliamentary movement regretted that they had not been able to get all the letters, and Hon. Michael J. Ryan of Philadelphia, national president of the United Irish league, conceived the idea of supplying this need by having all the letters published in book form with Mr. Sutherland's consent. The book is quite a respectable volume, and any one who wants the most accurate and up-to-date information of the Ireland of today should possess a copy of the book. Without this book can give the truth about Ireland and the movements that have been conducted since the days of Parnell.

The book is published for the benefit of the United Irish league as the result of Mr. Sutherland's generosity, and of any country has done so much to the United Irish league. Hon. John E. Redmond has written a complimentary but conservative introduction to the book in which he takes occasion to thank Mr. Sutherland and his paper for the splendid uplift given to the movement by this gratuitous service by the Philadelphia North American. He shows that if the truth be known of the Irish question it will win the sympathy of the world, and nothing that has been written in this country or by the press of any country has done so much to form a correct public opinion and to disseminate correct information upon the Irish question of today as the publication of Mr. Sutherland's letters and their subsequent appearance in book form. The price of the book is one dollar, postage 17 cents extra. Orders may be sent to the Philadelphia North American, Philadelphia, or to John O'Callaghan, Room 43, Globe Building, Boston.

FLAG CARNIVAL

By the Women of
Grace Church

The Highland club house was the scene of another very pleasant affair yesterday. It was the second annual flag carnival by the women of the Grace Universalist church.

The young people of the church danced from 4 to 6 in the afternoon and in the evening general dancing was enjoyed by the people of the church and their friends who filled the hall to its capacity. The American flag was there in all its glory. The walls were draped with American flags of various sizes, and the stage background was set with a large flag.

Sale tables were well patronized and did a rushing business both afternoon and evening. The dance table was presided over by Miss Maude Marshall and Miss Edith Merchant assisted by a committee of young people. Mrs. Martha Richardson and Mrs. L. P. Bachelor had direct charge of the domestic table and the grab table was looked after by Miss Eva Rollins, Mrs. Irene Derby and Miss Ruth Crawford. The fancy table was in charge of Mrs. Charles N. Woodward and the lunch table was in charge of Mrs. R. A. Greene. The decorations were in charge of William Thompson, Edward Woodward, Robert Potter, Moses Strauss and Lawrence and Wallace Safford.

GAVE HIMSELF UP

J.D. Pomerleau Charged
With Larceny

John D. Pomerleau, aged 19 years, walked into the police station about 9 o'clock last night and there and then requested to be locked up. Captain Atkinson acquiesced, and John D. was politely escorted to a cell in the rear.

Why did John D. do this? His mother told him to, and that's reason enough. He said that he and a man named McGauna were wanted for breaking and entering and larceny in the Fred L. Timmons' saloon in Middlesex street. He went to New York, he said, after the break, which was made March 1. His mother had read about what he had done and wrote to him, pleading with him to come home. McGauna and Pomerleau, it is alleged, entered the Timmons' saloon on the nights of Feb. 23 and March 1. They got some valuable stuff, McGauna was arrested a few days after the second break, but Pomerleau left town. Both men were indicted by the grand jury. Pomerleau lives at 532 Middlesex street.

GOT TWO MONTHS

INDIAN THREW CONDUCTOR

BOSTON, March 12.—Everett Jones, a full-blooded Indian, was sentenced to two months in the house of correction yesterday on the charge of assault on a street car conductor. It was testified that the Indian threw the conductor through the car window at the corner of Washington and Milk streets. He was arrested after a fight with Police-Master Fitzgerald.

Mrs. L. Louise D. Brown of 161 Northampton street was sentenced to six months in the house of correction on the charge of assault upon her step-daughter, Margaret, aged 16. It was alleged that the woman threw a lighted lamp at her husband and that it struck the daughter and exploded. A fire started, which caused serious damage to the house. Two firemen were injured and an aged woman had a narrow escape from death from being struck by the fire teams.

Frederick Lyons, 21 Quincy place, Roxbury, and John J. Punch of Compton street, were held in \$2000 each for the grand larceny of the quarter of a cow by robbery. They were charged with pulling Charles Hawkins, a waiter, into the doorway at 16 Cornhill street, Thursday night, and robbing him.

Just a little valve—the work of a minute to adjust—and you have a saving of from 25 to 50 per cent in your gas bills, says the inventor.

This tells the story of the invention of Mr. F. N. Labelle of this city, after years of experiments. It means much, he says, to the people of Lowell, and gas consumers all over the country. It may not make a hit with the gas companies, but that isn't worrying the inventor.

The valve is a sort of door which is placed within the gas pipe at any point between the meter and the first light, making it effective as a saving medium all over the house. When one gas jet is lighted, the pressure resulting forces the little door open; when a second gas jet is lighted, the door acts automatically under the added pressure and permits just enough gas to flow by to insure a bright, steady flame. Thus, Mr. Labelle says, all of the waste due to flickering or over-pressure is eliminated.

The economizer can be installed in a pipe of any size. For the ordinary household the saving of 25 to 50 per cent is claimed, with an outlay of only \$2. The device, the inventor claims, cannot wear out. If a family moves, the economizer can be removed in a minute and installed in a new gas pipe. For big blocks, requiring a regulator of larger size, a different arrangement is made. It will be put in at the company's own expense on a basis of 25 per cent of the savings.

The invention may be seen at the demonstrating office, 4 Merrimack sq., commencing March 14th.

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The Original and Genuine
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MALTED MILK
The Food-drink for All Ages.

At restaurants, hotels and restaurants. Delicious, invigorating and sustaining. Keep it on your sideboard at home. Don't travel without it. A quick lunch prepared in a minute. Take no substitute. Ask for HORLICK'S. Others are imitations.

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ANNIVERSARY

SPECIAL FOR
SATURDAY

\$25.00

SILK LINED

OVERCOATS

\$18.50

New model, regular length coats, of fine quality, black, dressed worsted, lined and faced to button holes with Merveilleux silk, hand tailored throughout.

Sizes up to 42.

Today's anniversary price

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Monday

A STEIN-BLOCH
\$20 SUIT FOR

\$15

A new spring model in a fancy gray cassimere—a nobby young man's suit.

THE SMART CLOTHES SHOP
D. S. O'BRIEN CO.

222 Merrimack Street.

FIREMEN GO FREE

B.&N. Railway Extends
Its Courtesy

"Every little bit added to what you've got makes a little bit more." Firemen in uniform will be allowed to ride "free" on all cars of the Boston & Northern, beginning tomorrow.

Why extend the privilege? Great Britain. At the time the declaration (containing these very words) was written the people of Vermont had already rendered conspicuous service in the war of independence. It would be a fitting tribute to the men who, after that independence had been won, it should be found that the government established by the colonies themselves, had become an instrument for taking away our charters."

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Stops Itching At Once

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USED A FORTUNE

To Keep His Door
Open

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 12.—Adelard Levesque, until recently a struggling painter forced to work hard to earn his living and glad of any work that came his way, has, through his lucky find in the St. Lawrence river while fishing, risen to a position where he can turn down an offer of \$20,000 for the lump of ambergris, which he mistook for a water animal and fired upon with both barrels of a shotgun.

Mr. Levesque stated that he was offered \$20,000 for the waxy-like mass by State Chemist C. D. Howard. It is not known whether Mr. Howard made the offer on his own responsibility or in the interests of other parties, but Mr. Levesque said he refused. Mr. Levesque confided to a friend that when he disposed of the precious ambergris he intended to settle on a government farm in Canada.

Mr. Levesque used his find to keep a door open, and having no knowledge of its value, did not know that a fortune lay within his grasp for a few years until a Boston physician offered him \$125 for the ambergris. Then he investigated and was informed of its value by Chemist Howard, who at first did not know the name of the man who approached him.

Mr. Levesque lives at 235 Chestnut street. He has resided in Manchester 12 years and has a wife and two children, one a boy of 15 years and the other a girl of 15 months. His brother Florence is in the west at present.

DIED SUDDENLY

LAUGHLIN WAS BROTHER-IN-LAW OF PRES. TAFT

PITTSBURGH, March 12.—Thomas McK. Laughlin, a brother-in-law of President and Mrs. William H. Taft, died suddenly of cerebral hemorrhage yesterday, at his home in this city. Mr. Laughlin was born March 16, 1876, and was prominent in business and social life here. He was married in Cincinnati in 1902 to Miss Herron, a sister of Mrs. William H. Taft, and besides the widow he leaves two young sons, William, aged 6, and Thomas, aged 4, and two brothers, George M. Jr., of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Co., and Irwin B. Laughlin, secretary of the American embassy at Berlin.

Mr. Laughlin was a member of the executive board and secretary and treasurer of the Jones & Laughlin Co., also a club director and member of many clubs. He was a graduate of Yale class of '97 S. and prepared at St. Paul's school, Concord, N. H.

CORPORATION TAX

CONSTITUTIONALITY OF THE
LAW IN QUESTION

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BANK OFFICERS

Are Blamed by Examiner Hann

WASHINGTON, March 12.—National Bank Examiner Samuel M. Hann of Baltimore, who was sent by the controller of the currency to take charge of the affairs of the National City bank of Cambridge after the suspension of Bank Examiner Ellis S. Draper, will come to Washington Monday to make a verbal report in the controller on the condition of things as he has found them up to the present time and also to tell the controller whether Coleman's defalcation could not have been discovered sooner if Draper's examinations had been made thorough and Coleman's superiors had exercised greater vigilance.

While there is no desire to prejudice anyone in advance of a thorough knowledge of all the facts, it is clearly the belief of officials in the office of the controller that the defalcation would not have occurred if the bank officers had been as diligent as the law requires them or if Draper's examinations had been more searching.

Controller Murray yesterday received a letter from Examiner Hann, who is outspoken in his condemnation of the lax conduct of the officers of the bank. Coleman's defalcation he terms "palpable and glaring," and he says it could never have been hidden if the officials of the bank had followed the instructions of the controller relating to the conduct and duties of bank officers, and ordinary diligence had been used. He makes it plain that he is clearly of the opinion that the officers did not do their proper duty. Less is said in regard to Draper, although the impression also prevails that had Draper kept closer watch of the bank Coleman's defalcation would have been discovered much earlier.

No action will be taken in regard to an assessment on the stockholders of the National City bank until the receiver's report is made. There is little doubt, however, that an assessment of 100 per cent will be made.

BRADLEY WILL

TESTATOR DID NOT SIGN THE DOCUMENT

The will of Elizabeth G. Bradley, in Haverhill, which left most of her money to socialism and a bequest to a Lowell relative will probably be allowed by the court although the document is not legally signed. The will is in the testator's own handwriting but the signature was omitted. The estate will amount to about \$8000.

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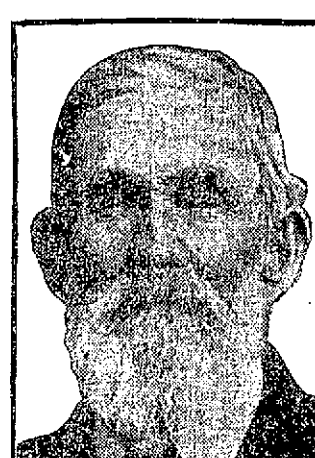
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BASEBALL NEWS

Some Gossip About New England League Clubs

There is a story current that Tom Tuckey, the former Connecticut leaguer, who was sold to Lynn and went from there to the Boston Nationals, is to be turned back to Lynn Manager Billy Hamilton of the Lynn team says he knows nothing about it.

According to latest advices from Worcester, Mass., and Nashville, Tenn., Harry Noyes is to play with the Lawrence club of the New England league this coming summer. Billy Bernhard, the Nashville manager, couldn't get Harry to return to the south so he traded him to Worcester. Harry likewise refused to go north and this made trouble for Manager Jess Burdett of Worcester, so Jess turned him back to Nashville. Now comes word from Lawrence that he has been landed there, but nothing has yet been heard from Harry concerning it.

Lawrence could have sold Tommy Catterton and Pembroke, Playaton, but refused to do so. New Bedford offered Brooklyn Cunningham and Bauman for the right to buy the players, but they were passed up, and Lawrence won the players. Exchange.

Looks a bit phony for Dowd has been talking of the big leagues and a bunch of money for Bauman and Cunningham all winter long.—New Bedford Standard.

Big Bill Massey is on the police force in Philadelphia.

The signed contracts of Pitcher Arthur Maybom and Outfielder "Ginger" Reynolds, were received at the local headquarters yesterday, and there are now only two men who have failed to sign. These men are John Hess, pitcher, and Pat Crisnam, who was purchased from the Syracuse club of the New York State league.

Hess and Crisnam have both returned their contracts unsigned. Hess had some trouble with the local management last year, and as a result he was loaned to Northampton for the remainder of the season. He was originally purchased by the local club from Nashville.

It was thought Crisnam would be glad to play here as he is a warm personal friend of Manager Hannon. He is in business in Syracuse, however, and this is probably why he does not wish to leave there.

Hess and Crisnam must sign with Lawrence or they cannot play ball, unless they are traded to some other team.—Lawrence Telegram.

New Bedford's Team

Alvin W. Keane, the New Bedford Times baseball expert writes as follows:

Thomas J. Dowd, prince of baseball's fancy dressers, always wants an oddity

or a novelty on his ball club, and his latest move to give the New England circuit a drawing card has been to sign up one Neptune, a full blooded Oldtown, Maine, Indian, who is said to be a second Sockalexis.

Neptune will not be an entire stranger to the New England league. He was given a few days' workout by the Lynn club near the end of the summer in 1908, although there are some in Lynn who say that it was not Neptune who came there, but a ringier. At any rate the alleged redskin was chased back to his home on Indian island at Oldtown after a few days of New England league campaigning.

Dowd thinks Neptune will show the fans some class this spring. He has played in the Maine trolley and state leagues for two or three years and made good. He is an outfielder and is very fast. Dowd says he has an arm like Crum.

Has Good Man in Pratt

In Catcher Pratt, whom Dowd gets from Nashville, he has a big chap built like Ulrich and a mighty good man. He has had considerable experience in baseball and is said to be a timely hitter. Morgan, the outfielder, is highly recommended. He is fast on his feet, a fine judge of fly balls and a hard hitter.

Dowd has another outfielder from New York City. His name is Thomas Dowling, and he was sought after by the Jersey City club before Sir Thomas dazzled him with his glittering diamond shirtstuds and got the youngster to accept terms while under the influence of the rainbow rays which shone from the stone.

He has also signed a semi-pro-catcher named J. P. Walsh, whose home is in Birmingham, New York. An infielder named Cassett from New York City, who played in the Three-Bay league last season, is another candidate for the Whalers. He is a left hand hitter and very fast getting down to first.

Dowd's fancy runs to big catchers and he has signed up a chap named Tim O'Brien of St. Louis. The boy has been in the Trolley league of the Mount City and is considered ripe for fast company. He is over six feet in his stockings and a heady backstop.

I received a letter yesterday from J. Gary Wilson, the third baseman

who is now at his home in Baltimore. Gary is working out with a bunch of Baltimore boys on the diamond. He says the grass is green and the weather is like the climate of New England in June. It is the Maryland boy's intention to be in the best of shape this spring and he says that the man who takes his job from him will have to show class.

Among the players with whom Gary is working are Shortell and Aubrey of the Syracuse club; Kelster of Wilkes-Barre; Schmidt, Byers and Russell of the Baltimore team; Smith of Portsmouth; Brenner of Norfolk; Sullivan of Louisville; Lonsinger of Newark; "Demco" Morrissey, ex-Whaler, now of Danville; Baker of Trenton and Unglaub of the Washington Americans.

A letter from Fred W. Ulrich, with the Brooklyn Nationals at Hot Springs, brings me a bunch of green grass from the diamond where the big leaguers are working. Ulrich is making a fine impression with the Dodgers and may stay up in the big show. In a game the other day he made two hits out of two times at the bat and the Baltimore Eagle war correspondent says he made a fine showing behind the bat, getting away with a heads and lightning double play with the bases full.

Bill Cunningham quits basketball this week. In a letter sent from his home this week he says that he is going to take a three weeks' rest before coming on to New Bedford. He says that he has heard there will be a dozen candidates for the infield and he will have to fight to hold his position at the keystone corner.

From far out in the heart of Indianapolis, where he is caring for his father's baker shop, Charles "Patsy" Deuman has written to Manager Dowd, asking that he be traded to some western team as he does not want to come to the east again and play ball. Patsy is too valuable a man to get away and Dowd will not let him go unless he gets something pretty good in exchange.

Work has been started at Athletic field to put the diamond in shape. The field will hardly know the place when they see it next summer for Whaletown is scheduled for a grass diamond and the park will have many changes.

The Haverhill Record of recent date had the following:

Another element in the increased cost of living which seems to have been ignored by the congressional investigators and their volunteer assistants is baseball.

As our neighbor on the right would say, take a hint at the situation ten years ago. One major league club owned its own grounds, and that one had to buy them to keep a railroad from acquiring a new switchyard. The rest held short-term leases. There was not a baseball plant in the country which was owned by a team. The persons without cheating. Taggart, whose salary surpassed \$24,000 a year was either a brilliant veteran or a man of a vivid imagination. There was only one major league and not half a dozen minor leagues which even hoped to last beyond the glorious Fourth.

Today there are two teams in the country which ten of the 16 clubs either own their plants outright or occupy premises owned by men interested in baseball clubs.

There are five plants of steel and concrete either completed or in process of construction which represent investments of between \$500,000 and \$1,000,000 apiece. Several of them can seat 30,000 spectators. The player whose salary does not exceed \$2,000 a year is either raw material or unable to make his demands known even by signs. A team manager who draws \$10,000 a year is not an isolated exception, and it is thought one or two star players are paid that much for six months' effort. There are 30 odd minor leagues consisting of from six to eight clubs each, and those which do not finish their seasons are the exception.

The coin to pay for the mammoth stands of concrete and the grounds on which they stand did not come out of the earth or the air; neither are they the product of water, aquatic or stock-market. The salaries of thousands of players to man the teams of hundreds of major and minor leagues are not paid by sport-loving philanthropists situated solely by the joint desire to give their townsmen much joy, and their town seats of free advertising. The immense quantity of pesos required to maintain baseball in every city which feels it can afford to advertise, from California to Maine and from Duluth to New Orleans, comes out of the pockets of every class. The cruel trust promoter, the unfeeling manufacturer, the greedy machines which collect and supply the food market, the shrewd middlemen, the discontented world of labor, the banker, the broker, the hard worked, underpaid clerk, the railroad magnate, and, going all the way back to the soil, the farmer—all have contributed their little to baseball.

No matter what color or creed a man is or where he has played before, Al Wins says that he is willing to sign him up for his league. Why not be sure of the league first, Alvin Haverhill Record.

RUN ON BANK

CLEVELAND, O., March 12.—After as vigorous a run on a banking house as has ever been known in Cleveland, the stampeding depositors of the Society for Savings yesterday regained their equilibrium and yesterday afternoon the pace was over.

In the two days and a half that the run lasted \$1,250,000 was withdrawn, at the rate of \$125 a minute. As the majority of the depositors affected were small ones, hundreds amounting to less than \$100, the record made by the bank in handling this withdrawal is considered as remarkable.

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MISS DALY, \$7,000,000 HEIRESS, SOON TO BE BRIDE OF COUNT



NEW YORK, March 12.—Not less than \$7,000,000 is the generally accepted estimate of the amount of the fortune of Miss Harriot Daly of this city, daughter of the late Marcus Daly, the "mining king" of Montana and New York, who is to be married to Count Anton Sigray of Hungary here on March 23. Miss Daly is known in New York society for her beauty no less than for her wealth. She is a brunette, with a perfect complexion. Count Sigray is an intimate friend of Count Szechenyi, who was married to Miss Gladys Vanderbilt two years ago. He acted as best man at the Vanderbilt-Szechenyi wedding. It was there that he first met Miss Daly. Sigray is a member of the oldest and wealthiest of Hungarian families, and it is said that his fortune is at least equal to that of his fiancée.

U. S. EXPRESS CO. BOWLING NOTES

May be Taken From the Several Contests on the Alleys

NEW YORK, March 12.—Legal proceedings are again pending in the supreme court of New York state in the suit brought by some of the stockholders of the United States Express company to take the control of the company out of the hands of the family of Platts.



The Bartlett & Dow clerks and the U. S. Bowling team played a spirited game and a close game on the Crescent alleys last night. The latter team winning by six pins. The score:

U. S. Bowling	1	2	3	T
Birtwistle	86	75	73	234
Wilbur	69	73	84	226
Nelson	70	91	92	253
Burt	84	88	95	267
Kennedy	86	73	81	240
Totals	397	401	429	1227

Bartlett & Dow	1	2	3	T
Lafamme	81	76	73	230
Draper	76	83	90	249
Walker	69	86	73	228
Cheney	81	85	90	256
Gill	75	87	82	244
Totals	392	421	408	1221

The Mispickles beat the Floats on the Crescent alleys last night by 24 pins. The score:

Mispickles	1	2	3	T
Silk	75	79	84	238
Rutledge	76	81	85	242
Olson	79	85	81	245
Kennedy	71	85	92	248
Dyrelath	77	71	76	224
Totals	397	387	411	1221

Floats	1	2	3	T
Latimer	88	79	72	239
Robinson	82	79	84	245
Triley	77	71	78	226
O'Brien	83	87	83	253
Moran	80	88	80	248
Totals	405	394	411	1210

The post office clerks and carriers bowled a close game on the Crescent alleys last night. The clerks won by the narrow margin of 14 pins. The score:

Clerks	1	2	3	T
McGrath	78	85	78	241
O'Brien	81	99	96	276
Turnquest	77	74	86	237
Shore	91	86	79	256
S. Willis	79	93	81	253
Totals	414	451	408	1273

Carriers	1	2	3	T
Meagher	82	88	92	262
Bugsaw	80	78	85	243
A. Willis	80	79	87	246
Loggers	87	85	91	263
Shandnessy	88	92	82	262
Totals	410	421	428	1259

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Pasadenaway tribe, No. 32, I. O. R. M., held its regular meeting last night and the wigwag held many visiting chiefs. Sachem George Hoad was the big noise. A big raft of routine business was taken care of and a communication was received from Great Sachem Alvin G. Weeks, stating that the smaller tribes have taken a new life and report gains in membership. There are 125 tribes in this reservation with a total of 16,576 members. The degree staff exemplified the hunter's and warrior's degree on three adopted brothers.

Wamotit Lodge, K. of P., No. 25, K. of P., held a regular meeting last night, and its staff worked the third rank on one requisire of S. H. Hines lodge. The second rank will be worked next Tuesday and report gains in membership. The entertainment committee has invited the members to bring their ladies next Friday night. The rank of knight will be worked on March 28th.

HOUSE THIEVES

Have Been Operating in Broadway and Got Jewelry

The local police are on the lookout for house thieves who have been operating in this city with more or less success for the last few weeks. The last breaks reported were in Broadway, where two blocks and a tenement over a bakery were entered. These breaks were reported to the police, but the inspector who has the matter in hand was not at the police station this afternoon and, inasmuch as he had all the details in his pocket, none remained for the reporter. Included in the articles stolen from the places in Broadway were a gold watch and gold bracelets. So far as is known the thieves did not succeed in getting any money.

A LECTURE

WILL BE GIVEN FOR ST. MICHAEL'S HOLY NAME SOCIETY

The Holy Name society of St. Michael's church will be entertained at a lecture in the Odd Fellows hall, in Bridge street on April 14th, by Thomas B. Lawlor of Boston, the well known lecturer and educator, who will speak on "The Philippines." The lecture will be illustrated by 150 views taken by Mr. Lawlor personally.

CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned wishes to thank all her relatives and friends, and especially the employees of the Lowell post office, who by words of consolation, acts of kindness and floral offerings, helped to lighten her burden of sorrow in the hour of her bereavement on the death of her beloved sister, Ann Maria Brady. To each and all she is deeply grateful and will ever remember their sympathetic kindness. Katie Brady.

Julius Paulint, a former resident of this city, is visiting his relatives and renewing old acquaintances. He has been for several years in Mobile, Ala., engaged in the marble cutting business. He is a brother of Lucius Paulint of the C. H. Church Insurance company.

LICENSE APPLICATIONS

Up to the time of going to press this afternoon some twenty applications for liquor licenses had been received at the office of the board of police.

WEALTHY MAN

TO TAKE WAITRESS AS HIS BRIDE

NEW YORK, March 12.—Cupid has been up to tricks again. Here is a girl who has been earning \$5 a week in a New York department store about to marry a man with so many dollars that she probably never will have to think of money matters again.

She is now Miss Anna Krauss of Elizabeth, N. J., and her fiancé is Walter Everett Severance. They are to be married on Easter Monday, and today will be the last day that Miss Krauss will spend serving luncheons to women shoppers. Four years ago she was employed

as a waitress in a summer hotel on Lake Placid, the Ruessman. Mr. Severance visited there for an occasional dinner while living at his father's summer home, farther along the lake, and there he met the girl he is to marry.

Mr. Severance lives in Peru, N. Y., where his father owns a 100-acre farm. His only sister married Joseph Moore of Boston and lives in that city.

AUTO PROTECTIVE

Will Arrive in Lowell Next Week

The automobile protective, which is now on exhibition at the automobile show in Boston will be delivered in this city next Monday.

While the date of delivery, according to the contract, was Dec. 28, 1909, and for every day since then the manufacturers have got to pay \$5 to the city, the Knox company, which secured the contract for the machine, has been rather dilatory. While it is said that the delay was occasioned by adverse circumstances, it is thought that the manufacturers kept back the delivery of the machine in order to exhibit it at the automobile show.

According to the specifications, the machine is to be fitted with Diamond tires, but the tires on the machine at the present time are Flske tires and before the machine is accepted the tires will have to be changed.

Monday morning the machine will be taken from Boston and sent over the road to Lynn and from there to Salem where it will be inspected by the fire departments of those cities that contemplate the purchase of automobile apparatus.

The car will arrive in Lowell Monday night and be installed at the Protective station in Warren street and on Thursday of next week will be put through a test under the supervision of the committee on fire department.

It will be given a severe test, including the mounting of some of the steepest hills in the city, the stopping and starting of the engine and other similar stunts.

TWO PROMINENT MEMBERS OF THIS SEASON'S HOLDOUT BRIGADE



As the opening of the baseball season draws closer the fans are deeply agitated because of the refusal of several stars to attach their signatures to their contracts. Although the 1910 holdout brigade is not nearly as large as last year's, there are two prominent stars members of it—Howard Camnitz, one of the Pittsburgh Nationals' crack twirlers, and Owen Bush, the bustling shortstop of the Detroit Americans—whose respective teams would suffer by their absence. Pitcher Camnitz, who has been a member of the Pittsburgh aggregation for the last two seasons, has announced just what his pay envelope must contain before he signs up with

Manager Fred this year. Everybody who knows the Pirate manager is aware of the fact that Camnitz will get as much as Clarke thinks he is worth and not a penny more. A man who will sacrifice such men as Pitcher Willis and First Baseman Abstein for principle will not hesitate to keep a Camnitz on the ground to carry out his own ideas. On the other hand, Bush is holding back for the same identical reason and has announced that he will not handle the piff for the Tigers this season unless an increase is given. But the probabilities are that when April 14 rolls around the men will be on the job.

FRANK CLARK, IRISH CHAMPION, REGARDED AS DARK HORSE



NEW YORK, March 12.—Widespread interest is being taken in the coming century. The latter is regarded as the twenty mile race to be held in Madison Square Garden March 14. Entered in the event are eight of the fastest runners in the world, and a new record for the distance is expected. The men who will compete in the race are as follows: Fred Meadows, the Canadian who won the fifteen mile event held here recently; Gustave Ljungstrom, the Swede, who finished second to Meadows; Jim Crowley, the former amateur champion, who finished second in the Edinburgh

burgh Marathon held in Scotland recently. The latter is regarded as the favorite to win the race. Ljungstrom is the fastest runner ever since the former arrived in this country. Meadows has never shown his ability to carry his great speed over the twenty mile distance, and Ernest Hjertberg, Ljungstrom's manager, is ready to make a good waterman against him, that the Swede will trim the Canadian when they meet.

653-659 Merrimack Street

New Coat Length Not Generally Becoming

Belts Seen Everywhere and on Every Kind of Costume.

It is with feelings of regret for the passing of the long coat from our modiste midst that the majority of women welcome the new cut of the spring coat. Nothing in the way of a wrap has been so universally becoming to both young and old, thin and stout, as the slim silhouette of the jacket that is no more. Imagine, if you can without exciting your risibles, a really stout woman in a Russian blouse model, or, for that matter, in one of the stocky looking hip length affairs!

But all sorts and conditions of femininity are going to array themselves in these new coats, so there is no use in sighing for what is not, and doubtless before the season is well under way we shall be quite won over to the attractions of the latest style. On strictly tailored suits military fastenings of frogs and cords are the smartest trimmings for coats that cut away in a bias fashion in front. For instance, a navy black and white checked suit made with a box plaited skirt has a semitight hip length coat cut rather high in the neck, which is finished with a round collar of white cloth braided in dull gold. Black silk frogs placed at an angle of forty-five degrees are the fastenings used.

Another cloth suit seen at an exclusive establishment was of pin striped sapphire blue suiting made in much the same style as the shepherd's check save for the coat collar, which was of the shawl variety in corded black silk and sparsely braided with a narrow dull gold soutache.

These invisible striped materials are to be very fashionable this spring, and there is a new star design in cloth for tailor makes that is one of the latest fashions in the shops. The star figure is visible only in certain lights. Oatmeal cloth, hopsacking and canvas weaves are all prominently to the fore, disporting themselves in charming two toned effects. Blue with green and brown mingled with sage green are some of the favored combinations. So insistent is this changeable effect that even in ribbons and feathers for hats one sees the same coloring.

To be convinced that the waist line has established itself in spring fashions one has only to examine the varied and beautiful collection of belts sent over from Paris. For several seasons all garments have been beltless, and now belts have appeared everywhere and on everything that has a waist line. On coats the belts are of the material or of patent or saddle leather, and by far the most becoming way to dispose of them on jackets is to lift the waist line without destroying the curve. This is easily accomplished by the strips through which the belt is run. Rather newer, but less flattering to the figure, is the Buster Brown adjustment. The belt in this instance goes through strips of material placed well down toward the point of the hips and is loosely fastened in front. There is nothing simple or inconspicuous about the belts used on house gowns. They are barbaric in design and gorgeous in their subdued colorings. The Metal nets elaborately embroidered in gold and silver, in crystals and beads, fusing for the style bears a closer resemblance to either a jumper or a polonaise.

most expensive belts and therefore the most sought after are made of linked metal set with semiprecious stones finished with massive buckles. It is possible, though, to imitate this effect in heavy metal meshed braids, and really, the substitute is even better than the original, as it fits the figure.

COSTUME FOR SUMMER SKIES



White serge costumes are going to be quite as popular this season as they were last summer. The smart model illustrated is of this material, with facings of pale yellow velvet touched up by cords of black soutache.

with more grace. A pretty finish for the braided belt is a velvet or satin rose when the character of the frock will admit of anything so ornate. Each season there is a costume that dates it—in other words, a frock that is the rage and dies a natural death through too much popularity. Last spring the moyen age frock was first and foremost in favor, several years ago we were all wearing the jumper dress, and now this spring it's the tunic dress. The name is a trifle conspicuous, for the style bears a closer resemblance to either a jumper or a polonaise.

The tunic costumes seen have been of lingerie and chiffon—a lingerie frock with the tunic portion of chiffon edged with bands of silk or satin. Such a dress offers a splendid opportunity for using one's passe lingerie frock and bringing it right up to date. It is possible, of course, to use a heavier material for the tunic in place of the chiffon, but the idea at present seems to be to veil rather than to hide the underdress.

There is nothing very new in shirt waists and blouses except the front closing, which no longer is affected by a box plait, but by a single closing adorned with a frill of some kind. When the material is heavy enough a buttonhole scalloped edge is used, which scallop is employed also at the

When the Lamp Is Lit



Musings of Elinor Hite

THE WOMAN WHO STAYS TOO LONG

HAVE you ever had a visitor who apparently finds it impossible to say goodbye?

Some persons have an unhappy knack of outstaying their welcome. You ask one of these to luncheon, perhaps, and you put on your prettiest frock to welcome her and plan the nicest meal you can for her enjoyment.

And at first everything goes well; you have lots to talk about and feel pleased with your friend and yourself.

But, alas, she stays too long—until your subjects or conversation are exhausted. There she sits, oblivious of the fact that you probably have another engagement for the afternoon which you would like to keep.

Sometimes she stays all afternoon.

She is still with you at supper or dinner time.

At last, when it is nearly time for your evening meal, she rises to go. But even then she keeps you standing for ten minutes or so while she makes her final farewells.

Even before she has got so far as the door she will return, quite likely, to say something she has "forgotten."

When at last the door is closed and she is really gone you heave a fervent sigh of relief and determine not to ask her again for a very long time. If she had stayed only a reasonable time you still would have been thinking her charming.

There have been cases when a woman invited to stay a few days with a friend has remained until her visit developed into an "awful visitation."

The visitor forgets that to a host and hostess who are not rich the expense of entertaining a guest for an indefinite time is often quite a serious matter. Probably the house or apartment of the hostess is small and there is only one maid, and to have a visitor staying in the house means that the mistress has to do a great deal of the extra work herself.

With a serene indifference in her own charm and welcome the staying guest prolongs her visit and wonders later why she gets no more invitations to visit that particular house.

If you would be a social success, or, better still, if you really want to be liked, never weary your friends. It is far better for them to complain that they never see you than for them to tell others that they can't keep you out of the house.

THE FAMILY LUCK AT CARDS

CARD luck seems to run in some families. Sometimes all the prizes at a party are carried off by different members of the same family. Such people, too, generally make the most of their luck. They may say in a deprecating way, as each receives the article won: "My dear Mrs. Blank, it is too bad to have this family always win. I really hate to take it, for I've won so many things." But every invitation is accepted none the less, every game is played for dear life, and any one of them will be quite peevish

when cards run badly and opponents are successful. If just once in awhile the most zealous minded person of the family would go to the hostess and say, "If I should win the prize please count me out and give it to the one who gets the next highest score," the stigma which the title of "lucky hunter" implies would be removed, and the prizes won would be better worth having, for the careful hostess knows the "snatchers" ways, and the article given as second prize is often far handsomer than the one labeled "first."

DEVELOPMENT of the JUMPER DRESS



This frock is a near relative of our old friend the jumper dress. The new development shows a novel type of skirt allied to a culottes bodice and a corded silk velvet blouse.

A Lesson In Soupmaking

MANY housekeepers are fond of boasting that they can make "good soup out of nothing." What they really mean is that from well managed larders they generally can find sufficient leftover materials to keep the stock pot going without making fresh purchases for it. Every housewife ought to be able to do this, for all bones, rough pieces of cooked and raw meat, remains of gravies, etc., should be utilized in this way. The water in which soup or fresh meat or vegetables have been boiled, excepting water in which greens have been cooked, makes fine foundation for soup.

The cook's aim in soupmaking is to draw into the water all the juices and nutriment from the materials used. In order to do this it is necessary to bear the following rules in mind:

First.—Cut the meat into small pieces, as the more of their surface there is exposed to the action of the water the more easily and completely will the juices be drawn out.

Second.—Put meat and bones into cold water, as hot would harden the outside albumen and keep in the juices.

Third.—Boil the soup gently and keep the lid on the pan; otherwise it will waste. But soups made chiefly from bones must be allowed to boil more quickly than others, in order to extract their nutriment.

To start a stock pot put a clean,

empty pot made expressly for this use, or, failing that, a large saucepan, on the stove. Put into it a quart of cold water or liquid from cold meat or vegetables. Add a teaspoonful of salt and any cooked or raw bits of meat, bone, poultry, vegetables or drops of gravy you may have. About a pound of solid material should be prepared if possible. Put on the lid of the pot and simmer the contents for at least five hours. After each meal collect and add any other suitable bits that may be left.

Every night strain the liquid stock into a basin, scald out the stock pot and leave it uncovered until the next day. Save and rinse the solid matter if it seems likely that any goodness is left. Next day remove the fat from the surface of the stock, pour back the liquid into the clean pot and either add the meat, etc., strained off the day before, as well as any fresh bits you may have, or add only the latter.

When liquid is needed for soups, gravies, sauces, etc., draw it off from the stock pot. Add more water as it is needed, according to the amount drawn off and quality of available scraps.

Rice, potatoes, bread, green vegetables, fish or high game is unsuitable for adding to the stock, and if it is to be used for clear soups or glazes thickened sauces should not be added either, as flour will cause it to be cloudy.

The Use and Abuse of Powder

A FEW hints on the use of powder and other little innocent aids to the toilet will be welcomed by girls who like to feel that they are looking their best, and often the effect of a smart evening costume is completely ruined, by the contrast between a white neck and shoulders and a muddy, sallow looking complexion. There may be some persons who will disagree with me, but I am firmly convinced that the judicious use of powder and even of a very little rouge provided it cannot be detected is quite within the limit of good taste for dances and other evening entertainments. The use of powder is absolutely indispensable to some women, and undoubtedly it is beneficial to the skin when any length of time is to be spent in an artificially heated atmosphere.

Now, although I am not an advocate of the use of powder, I am strongly opposed to its abuse, and consider nothing more repulsive looking than an apparently painted face, giving one the impression of having been made up for the footlights.

Powder should be applied to the face and neck immediately after washing, as soon as the skin has been dried. It should be left on for a few minutes and then carefully dusted off with a wool puff, a hare's foot or a pad of chamois leather, and by this means the skin will derive all the benefits of the powder, and yet the use of the latter will not be visible. An excellent powder for use on these occasions is one made of equal proportions of starch of pistachio nuts and finely powdered French chalk. This should be mixed together and scented to taste, a little powderedorris root being added if desired.

When the first dusting of powder has been applied and rubbed off as directed a few touches may be given to the face, which will considerably improve

the appearance. Should the eyes be very round they can be much improved by having the lids dusted with a little powder, but this should not be done except in the case of very round eyes, as it has a tendency to decrease their apparent size. Should the nose be too wide at the tip remove all traces of powder from the wings (nostrils) and give a little extra touch to the under portion. This will do much toward giving the nose a delicate appearance. The space between the eyebrows can be made narrower or wider, as required, by removing all trace of powder from it or by giving it an extra dust.

To darken the eyebrows brush them every night with a brush (a fine camel's hair one is best) dipped in castor oil. This will darken them, increase their growth and luxuriance, and their shape can be vastly improved if they are brushed each night in the direction in which they should grow. To some faces arched brows are very becoming, to other styles the straight poetic eyebrows are more suited, but in either case they should be trained in the way desired with a soft brush.

To redden the lips rub them gently with the finger dipped in a little cold cream, carefully wiping all traces of the cream off afterward.

The hair can be brightened before being dressed if a few drops of a good brillianine are well brushed into it, but if the hair is in a greasy state it should have a dry shampoo first to remove all superfluous grease and render it light and fluffy. If artificial waving is desired great care should be taken to see that the waving irons are not so hot as to singe the hair in any way. This use of waving irons is not to be recommended, as when continually resorted to they dry the hair and darken it, but occasionally, if applied carefully, they will do no harm.

DAPHNE DEAN.

GOOD THINGS TO EAT

If a housewife does not know what to serve after the meat at her next luncheon or dinner party she should try a palatable salad made of large white cherries and broken nuts. This is arranged on small lettuce leaves and covered with mayonnaise dressing.

Another good salad is made of peeled pineapple with the center removed. Around each slice are thin slices of banana and maraschino cherries. This is mixed with French dressing or one that has wine in it. The latter is made by mixing six tablespoonfuls of sherry, three of madeira and a half cup of sugar.

Oysters dipped in mayonnaise dressing and then in breadcrumbs and fried are delicious and a change from the regulation fried oyster.

APPLE PUDDING.

Line a porcelain baking dish with squares of dry old bread dipped in melted butter, making a firm wall and bottom. Then fill the dish with chopped apples mixed with finely minced nut meats and raisins, seasoned with powdered cinnamon, powdered sugar and bits of lemon peel and lemon juice.

Cover the top of the dish with squares of buttered bread and bake, covered, for thirty minutes; then remove the covering, bake until the top

is a golden brown, turn out on a dish and serve in loaf shape, piping hot, with hard sauce.

PUFF GEMS.

Beat two tablespoonfuls of butter to a cream and add little by little two-thirds of a cupful of sugar. Whip in the yolks of two eggs and beat until the batter is very light. Add a cupful and a half of flour that has been sifted with a teaspoonful of baking powder and half a cupful of milk. The flour and milk should be stirred in alternately, little by little. At last whip in stiffly beaten whites of the egg. Bake in gem pans. The quantity given is enough for a dozen. Serve with lemon sauce.

SAUCE FOR FISH.

To serve with fish or poultry this sauce is just the thing. Cream together a tablespoonful each of butter and flour and stir it into a cupful of chicken stock or hot water. When the sauce boils add the yolks of two eggs and a quarter of a cupful of cream which have been beaten together and season with salt and pepper. The latter part of the process should be done over hot water. If there is danger of lumps strain the sauce and reheat it before using. Care must be taken or it will curdle. For fish or chicken the sauce may be seasoned with minced parsley and chopped mushrooms.

SHE RUNS A TAXICAB IN PARIS



IN Paris a number of taxicabs are run by women. These chauffeurs at first met with considerable opposition by the male drivers, who considered them dangerous competitors, and threw all kinds of obstacles in their way, even naming them when they thought it safe. The chauffeuse, however, has conquered and is now a regular institution. A new sensation was furnished recently when a colored woman appeared on the boulevard driving a taxicab. She soon became all the rage, and her cab was awaited eagerly by the inmates of the streets, who used it in preference to all others. The dusky chauffeuse is never without a fare, and the gentlemen are called upon frequently to decide which one

of the waiting customers is entitled to a ride in her cab.

THE SPRING TURBAN.
The wrapped turban is about among the new spring hats. These startling looking chapeaux are made of a straight band of buckram or cap net to fit down over the head closely. There is no inside portion, except a fitted bandeau if the head is very small. They are worn low down on the right side and tilted on the left.

TO RENEW PATENT LEATHER.
When patent leather shoes begin to look dull and lose their freshness a few drops of spirits of turpentine applied with a soft brush will brighten them up so they look almost like new.

CARE OF CLOCKS.

The household timekeeper needs regular care and superintendence if it is to keep time accurately. When not regulated weekly by a clockmaker, a responsible member of the household should be put in charge of it. A clock should be wound as far as possible at one stated time and be regulated at a fixed period; it should be kept locked if possible, so that mischievous persons may not play with it, and its face, hands, etc., should occasionally be carefully dusted. A periodical oiling may also be necessary, and for this purpose the best oil, purified by lime-water, should be used. Let this mixture stand for a day or two and then carefully pour off the oil without disturbing the sediment. The oil should be applied to the works with a fine camel's hair brush.

RING ON FOREFINGER.

The ultra fashion taken up by some women of wearing a ring on the forefinger is borrowed from Elizabethan days. When anything so conventional as a plain diamond, opal or sapphire is worn the effect is not convincing. If one will do this thing it should be done well and rightly.

The ring should be an antique, such as Mrs. Chase, the portrait painter, collects, or it should be the copy of an antique. The stones need not be rare gems; they may be semiprecious, but they must be quality set.

The famous portrait of Queen Elizabeth, then princess, which hangs at Windsor shows a marvelous ring of this kind worn on the forefinger of this queen, who cared indifferently for the niceties and the splendor of dress.

WHAT THE CHINESE SAY ABOUT WOMEN.

The Chinese have many trite sayings about women, among which are the following:
Never trust a vain woman, for she is first in her own eyes.
Listen to the voice of an old woman, for narrow hath given her wisdom.
Many women, like leaderless sheep, come together for suit.
Pearls come from the mouth of her who thinketh long before opening her lips.

TO WASH NEW FLANNELS.

It is an excellent plan before washing new flannels to lay them to soak for a quarter of an hour in cold water with a good handful of salt, then wash them in the ordinary way. It makes the washing much easier and the articles look beautiful when dry. The same applies to new colored goods if they are allowed to stand in salt and water and rinsed in the same water. There is no chance of the color running, and it will dry like new.

Eleanor Robson Married to August Belmont

AFTER repeated denials from the lady herself, Miss Eleanor Robson, the beautiful and gifted actress, was recently married to Mr. August Belmont, the wealthy New York banker and turfman. Miss Robson recently abandoned the stage to prepare for her marriage to Mr. Belmont. Her farewell role was that of Glad in Mrs. Burnett's play, "The Dawn of a Tomorrow."

With the fall of the curtain the last night the cheerful ending of the performance was a sad one for the theater going public, for Miss Robson will be missed as few actresses ever have been. The last line spoken by Miss Robson in the final act of the play was peculiarly appropriate. Just before the curtain fell Glad (Miss Robson) says, "I'm going to be tuk care of now." The actress let her voice linger softly over the words. They were her farewell to the stage.

Miss Robson is of English birth, but came to this country with her mother, Mrs. Robson, known on the stage as Madge Carr Cook, and was placed at school on Staten Island. Later she joined her mother in San Francisco, where the latter was a member of a stock company. Mrs. Cook was taken ill one night, and her daughter with but slight preparation took her place and made an instant success. Fame came to her when she created the part of Florida Carby in "Arizona," and she has been a pronounced favorite ever since.

Miss Robson has earned a fair fortune in her stage career. She has a beautiful country home in England. In

New York she lived in West Seventy-seventh street, where the wedding was quietly celebrated.

Mr. Belmont, her senior by many years, has a fortune estimated at thirty or forty millions. He was a widower with three sons, one of whom married Miss De Goleoura. The two other boys



MISS ROBSON AS JULIET.

are at college. Mr. Belmont has a fine New York home, a stock farm in Kentucky and recently has purchased "By the Sea," a villa at Newport.

Needlework Notes

A NEW work is that of tucking net for a fancy blouse. The tucking is done with the finest of gold or silver thread. A little drawn work is added if the waist is to be one more elaborate. Some women waste their time fashioning costly, shiny garments with embroidery thread. This thread being soft when the garment is laundered, it is pressed into the material and loses its individuality. Twisted cotton which coated by the ball in various numbers and which is sometimes used for crocheting is the most satisfactory thread with which to do this work.

The careful housewife will find that she may have even an excess of towels at small expense if she will finish the ends herself instead of buying the fringed or bordered towels. Fourteen yards of damask toweling will make

one dozen towels, and six of these might be finished with hemstitching and the other half dozen scalloped. Each towel may be cut forty-two inches long, which will leave ample room for either a hem or a neat scalloped finish.

A beautiful buckle of any desired shape may be made by plating three strands of the narrowest gold thread together and wiring on the back. Nothing could be nicer as a finish for an empire belt, for the ready-made buckles of metal not only tear the lace in the gown, but scratch all the furniture in the house.

FOR SORE HEELS.

A tiny piece of chamois leather sewed round the inside of the back of the shoe will prevent it from rubbing the heel. This plan will delay the appearance of holes in stockings.

THE STATE SENATE TRADE OF JEWELER

Did Not Take Up the "Bar and Bottle" Bill

BOSTON, March 12.—Those who flocked to the state senate chamber yesterday afternoon to hear the debate on engrossing the "bar and bottle" bill were disappointed. The committee on third readings tucked the bill away for safe keeping and it may not reappear in the senate for several days.

Corporation Taxes

In the house Mr. McCarthy of Marietta moved to substitute for an adverse committee report a bill providing that the entire tax assessed upon business corporations shall go to the municipalities in which the corporations do business.

He said the industrial communities are the bone and sinew of the commonwealth and they should get the benefit of a return from the wealth they produce, instead of it going to tax-dodging communities.

Mr. Coon of Watertown opposed it as unfair to the residential communities. Mr. Barlow of Lowell believed it unfair that only half the tax on a corporation should go to the municipality which affords police and fire protection for the corporation's property and education for the children of its employees.

Mr. Riley of Malden thought it unfair that all the tax should go to either the manufacturing or the industrial communities.

Mr. Payson of Norton favored the bill in the interest of equalizing tax rates.

Mr. Holt of Methuen favored the bill and Mr. White of Brookline opposed it.

Mr. Saunders of Clinton favored the bill.

Mr. Thomas of Quincy favored it because he felt it just.

Mr. White of Brookline said the bill is simply an attempt on the part of the poor municipalities to get money away from the richer ones.

Mr. Holt, answering this, said: "Yes, we do want the money, because it be-

longs to us; because we are earning it. Lawrence the money you are spending in Brookline."

Adjournment cut off further debate.

Hay's "White Slave" Bills

In the house the committee on election laws reported leave to withdraw on the Riley bill to permit the people to express their preference for U. S. senator.

The committee on rules reported recommending that the rules should not be suspended for the admission of the three bills introduced early in the week by Representative Martin Hayes of Boston to deal with the "white slave" question and the alleged farm bank swindlers.

These additional reports were submitted.

Cities. Mayor Fitzgerald's bill to change the boundary line between the cities of Boston and Cambridge.

Constitutional amendments. An anti-slavery and referendum amendment of the constitution. Senator Tolman and Representative Holman and Hathaway dissent.

Constitutional amendments, leave to withdraw on the woman suffrage resolution. Representative Wood, Holman, Quinn and Daly dissent.

Cities. Leave to withdraw on the bill authorizing the city of Boston to lay out and construct approaches to Thomas park.

Harbors and lands. A bill approving the purchase by the United States of a tract of land in East Boston for use as an immigration station.

Taxation. Leave to withdraw on the bill increasing the excise tax on trading stamps.

Insurance. Leave to withdraw on the bills to authorize or require the separation of investment and life insurance.

Counties. Leave to withdraw to Thorndike Spaulding in his bill to all franchises in boards of county commissioners by appointment of the gov-



THE JEWELER AT WORK.

How a Boy Can Learn the Trade and Enter Business

The following communication explains itself and is answered at length:

Editor Sun:

As you have been in the habit of printing hints on success and advice to boys, I write to inquire if you will kindly inform me how a boy can learn to be a jeweler and whether it would be well to turn a boy's attention to that direction. By answering in your paper you will greatly oblige me.

Yours truly, F. M. M.

How to Learn the Trade

The business of a jeweler consists in repairing and cleaning watches and clocks, winding and compounding metals, silvering, engraving, plating, tempering, engraving and several other kindred arts.

Sometimes the repairing of optical instruments of all kinds is conducted in conjunction with the jeweler's business. In order to succeed in this business the beginner must possess a good deal of mechanical ingenuity, as otherwise he can never sufficiently appreciate the delicate mechanism, sometimes indiscernible to the naked eye, which he is daily called upon to take apart, regulate and repair. No young man can wish for a nicer or more respectable trade. The jeweler generally works behind the counter of a store surrounded with a stock of watches, clocks, silverware, and sometimes also optical and musical instruments. His work is light, seldom requiring either physical or great mental effort, his hours of work are not of more than the usual length, and his remuneration is above that of the average trade. He can acquire a general knowledge of all the leading branches of the business, or he can make a specialty of some particular one—say watch repairing—and in either case he is sure of permanent employment and good pay provided he be industrious and capable of learning the trade by competition. After saving a little capital any average workman can open a store for himself and by honest dealing and faithful work he may soon build up a money making business and be an employer instead of a paid workman. The easiest and the most common way of learning the trade is to obtain employment in a jeweler's store where there will be an opportunity of learning the business thoroughly. When a boy engages as an apprentice, he receives very small pay for a year or two during which his duties are partly cleaning, winding watches and repairing sundry errands. If he can enter a watch factory his opportunities to learn the trade rapidly might be much better if he be the right kind of a boy. During his apprenticeship, he should be comforted with the thought that he is learning a trade in which the start he can earn very respectable wages. His earning capacity will depend upon his proficiency and attention.



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As the time required to learn the trade depends entirely upon the opportunity and the boy's aptitude, a boy can never learn the trade even though in the best jewelry store unless somebody takes an interest in him and gives him a chance to learn. The trade is very fascinating to boys once they get a practical knowledge of it; but it is a trade that should be learned well. A poor jeweler may spoil a valuable watch or clock and thus get into trouble so that it is necessary to learn the trade well if at all.

The first step is to get in touch with the proprietor of a jewelry store, or somebody employed in a good store, and in this way through a little influence secure a position as apprentice. There should be a contract stating in precise terms just what opportunities of advancement will be offered to the boy, what he is to do, and how long to year and what he will be required to do under the contract. Then the boy should fulfill his part of the contract with entire satisfaction. If he does this his employer, if decent or honorable, will give him an opportunity to advance.

to business. Average success would place him an independent living.

Before or soon after starting to learn this trade, the young man should ascertain as far as possible whether he has the necessary talent, and if he finds he is not adapted for the business, he should abandon it as soon as he can find something better.

He should not, however, be easily discouraged as the most talented minds meet insuperable difficulties at every step and the want of brilliant talent may in a measure be compensated for by industry and assiduity in youth.

The position of salesman for a watch or jewelry firm is usually a lucrative one. It requires qualifications widely different from that of the ordinary jeweler together with a general theoretical, if not a practical knowledge of every branch of the jeweler's business.

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BIG EVENT

ST. PETER'S HOLY NAME TO CELEBRATE ST. PATRICK'S DAY

The committee in charge of the St. Patrick's night entertainment of St. Peter's Holy Name society held a meeting last evening with a good attendance. Reports were made by the literary committee and the decorating committee. Pres. Richard Lyons, the efficient head of the society, will preside at the exercises and will make the address of welcome.

CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT

WOODVILLE, N. H., March 12.—Charged with embezzling money orders aggregating \$145, Martin W. Howland, assistant postmaster here, was arrested yesterday by Deputy Marshall Frederick Johnson on complaint of Post Office Inspector W. W. Stone. Howland, when arraigned before U. S. Commissioner B. H. Hodgman at Littleton, waived examination and was held in \$500 for appearance before the United States district court at Portsmouth, March 15. It is understood that he has made restitution. Howland, who is young, was left a widower with two children to years ago. It is said that he has found it difficult to meet his expenses.

ANOTHER ARREST
BOSTON, March 12.—Still another arrest in connection with the alleged looting of summer residences at Newport, R. I., by soldiers stationed at the fort there was made here yesterday when Daniel McDonald, a private, was taken into custody at Fort Andrews in Boston harbor. He is charged with breaking into the residence of Albert H. Olmstead of Baltimore and stealing a considerable amount of jewelry and other valuables some time in January last. At that time he was stationed at Newport and was recently transferred to Fort Andrews. March 15, the alleged booty was found some time ago in the attic of the quarters of the 118th company at Fort Adams.

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IN REAL ESTATE CASES OF HAZING WEST POINTERS DEBATED BY SENATORS AND ARMY MEN

Transactions Recorded During Past Week

The real estate transactions recorded for the week for Lowell and vicinity are as follows:

LOWELL
Ann McGuane et als. to Krehor M. Gorgolani, land, \$1.
Martha McGuane to Amy McGuane, land on Winter street, \$1.
Annie Coff to Katherine Coff, land and buildings on Agawan and Moore streets, \$1.
Lowell Inst. for Savings to George J. Connelley, land on Pawtucket and Mount Washington streets, \$1.
Charles Otis Gray's admr. to Harriet F. Wakefield, land and buildings on Loring street, \$2800.
Frank B. Melvin to William H. Bear, et al., land and buildings on Corbett street, \$1.
Ann M. Brady to Katie F. Brady, land and buildings on Keene street, \$1.
Michael J. Malhot to Alice D. Brown, land and buildings on Gresham ave., \$1.
Leroy M. Turner to Melissa Graves, land and buildings on Hadley st., \$1.
Laura B. Langstaff to Annie B. Winters, land, \$1.
Laura B. Langstaff to Eliza A. Winters, land, \$1.
Joseph B. Langstaff to Eliza A. Winters, land on Bond st., \$1.
Edith McAllister to David G. Jones, land on Riverfront st., \$1.
Leonice L. Fortin to Armand V. Sicard, land on Moody st., \$1.
Charles E. Langstaff et al. to Richard Murphy, land on Liddell st., \$1.
John O. Gulline to Stewart C. Gulline, land at corner Princeton and Baldwin st., \$1.
Edmund M. Warren to Hugh J. Gildea, land at Rosemont Terrace, \$1.
Harry Hilton (trust et als.) to Harry W. Coburn, land and buildings at corner Beaver and Third sts., \$1.
Flory Capone to Lucien Farland, land and buildings at corner Farland road and Dalton st., \$1.
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Abbie E. Kelley to John R. McAdell, land on Parkview ave., \$1.
Arthur G. Beharrell to Bertha H. Beharrell, land, \$1.
Frank C. Beharrell's admr. to Bertha H. Beharrell, land and buildings on Fremont st., \$2500.
BELLEVILLE
Burton C. Pashe et als. to William I. Pashe, land, \$1.
Elizabeth A. Abbott to Everett W. Livingston, land on Andover st., \$1.
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Hattie Mahoney's est. by coll. to Town of Belville, land, \$5.55.
Dennis Hayes' est. by coll. to Town of Belville, land, \$5.55.
DRACUT
Geo. D. Coburn et al. to David Dickson, land, \$1.
WILMINGTON
William C. Norcross to Edward S. Eaton, land, \$1.
Edward S. Eaton to Charles K. Kline, land at corner Short st. and Berwick ave., \$1.
Frank W. Coughlin to Henry T. Bockhoff, land on Winslow ave., \$1.
Frank W. Coughlin to Benjamin Gordon, land on Elmwood road, \$1.
Sylvester Carter to John Kenny, land, \$50.
TEWKSBURY
Herman Kassner to Louis Eno, land and buildings on Belville road, \$1.
TYNGSBORO
John J. Condy to David Blennerhassett, land on State highway, \$1.
John A. Simpson et al. to William A. Park, land, \$1.



WEST POINT CADETS ON DRESS PARADE.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—The failure of the subcommittee on military affairs to reach an agreement on the bills authorizing the reinstatement in the United States Military Academy at West Point Cadets William T. Ross, Jr., Harry C. Weaver, and Chauncey C. Devore, convicted of hazing, threw the question into the hands of the full committee. The case has attracted much attention. It is known that Secretary of War Dickinson and Col. Hugh L. Scott, superintendent of the academy, are opposed to the reinstatement of cadets "convicted of hazing." They hold that failure to exact from hazers the penalty required by law tends to the subversion of discipline at the academy.

STATEHOOD BILL ASSAULT CHARGE RICH FRESHMEN

Amended So Mexicans Will Not Lose Vote

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The Arizona and New Mexico statehood bill was ordered favorably reported by the senate committee on territories yesterday. Amendments were adopted which will permit all citizens who have lived in the territories a year to vote for the ratification of the constitutions of the proposed states. The effect of this will be to enact election qualifications in the form in which they existed prior to the recent acts of the territorial legislatures, which had the effect of disfranchising certain classes of citizens, notably Mexicans, and which was designed, according to republicans, to make the states democratic. In the form in which the Beveridge bill was drafted, residents of the territories would have been permitted to vote after a residence of six months, but Senator Dick moved to substitute a requirement of one year's residence. All members of the committee voted for the Dick amendment except Chairman Beveridge. Democratic members of the committee sought to incorporate in the bill the franchise requirement adopted by the Arizona legislature and to apply this to both territories. The proposition was defeated by the votes of Beveridge, Dillingham, Nelson, Burnham, Keam and Dick, republicans, and Clarke of Arkansas, democrat. The affirmative votes were cast by Frazier and Hughes, democrats. The absentees were, Phelan and Owen. Another important amendment adopted today sets aside 1,000,000 acres of public land in each territory for the payment of county bonds which have been specifically validated by acts of congress. The bill cannot be taken up in the senate until after disposition of the administration railroad bill.

Prisoner Was Castigated by Judge

NEW YORK, March 12.—You are such a low, vile creature that I believe the convicts in Sing Sing prison, where you are going, will shame you as they would the plague, saying as in days of old, "Room for the leper, room." This severe castigation was hurled by Judge Foster yesterday at Charles E. DeWolfe, a self-confessed "white slave" trader, who came up for sentence for assault upon Clara Thompson, whom he brought from Boston. DeWolfe tried to make a desperate charge with shouting for throat. He was sentenced to not less than two years and three months or not more than four years and seven months.

A \$500 CLERK

WASHINGTON, Mar. 12.—President Taft's advocacy of economy in public expenditure has made a responsible clerk in an individual seeking himself "A \$500 clerk," who says he saved the government sundry small amounts last year by the careful use of ink and lead pencils. He expressed hope of long life for this economical administration. MacVeagh in the following words: "During the past year, by omitting to cross my 'I's and dot my 'I's, I have saved the government two cents in ink. Will you please add this to my salary. I can now use my lead pencils down to one-half inch. I hope in this way to save another cent. Long live this economical administration!" "An short of paper, or I would write a longer letter. We are one year nearer the parousness."

THE ALLDS CASE

ALBANY, N. Y., March 12.—There was no session of the Conger-Allds bribe investigation today.

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Fire at North Rochester, N. H.

ROCHESTER, N. H., March 12.—Fire that is supposed to have started from spontaneous combustion last night destroyed the great stock sheds of the J. Spaulding Sons Co. in North Rochester, N. H., which cost \$20,000. The sheds, many of which were filled with the waste material from which the firm manufactures its products—leather board—were five hundred feet long and thirty feet wide. The loss is covered by insurance.

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The two tenement house, barn and about 9000 sq. ft. of land at 775 Westford street is for sale to settle an estate. Any reasonable offer will be received. Apply to Jeremiah Ryan, on the premises, or to James H. Carmichael, Central Block.

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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of John W. Wright, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.
Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Katherine T. Lennan, Mary E. Lennan and Annie M. Lennan, who claim that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-third day of March, A. D. 1910, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.
And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.
Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.
W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Catherine Stanton, otherwise called Katie Stanton and Katie Stanton, late of Newbury, in said County, deceased.
Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Thomas Brennan, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the fifteenth day of March, A. D. 1910, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.
And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.
Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.
W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Antoinette Wright, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.
Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Jefferson Borden and Ellen W. Borden, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of March, A. D. 1910, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.
And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.
Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.
W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Margaret Wright, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.
Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Jefferson Borden and Ellen W. Borden, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of March, A. D. 1910, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.
And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.
Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.
W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Frederick J. Wright, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.
Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Lizzie M. Smith, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on their official bond.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of March, A. D. 1910, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.
And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.
Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.
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SILVER BAG with initials M. A. O. B., containing gold essay bonds and keys, lost in O'Connell's Dry Goods store, downtown. The finder will return to 15 Berlin st., Lowell.

WANTED

STABLE MANURE wanted. P. A. Reardon, Tel. 850.

SECOND HAND FURNITURE

of all kinds wanted. Gas ranges, carpets, women's clothes, refrigerators, washing machines, book cases or anything in house hold goods. Send postal or call. T. J. Muldown, 506 Central st.

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a house in the city. Write to Peter Gougeon, 501 Broadway.

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WORTHY WOMAN with three small children and husband who is on the water front of one kind, inquires at The Sun office.

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TO LET

NEW CORNER BUILDING in 10, 750 Gorham st., large store, 5 and 6 room flats, bath, pantry, gas, electric, etc. Apply 6 Gorham st.

THREE 3-ROOM TENEMENTS to let, with bath, hot and cold water, gas and electric lights. 78 to 82 Elm st. Inquire at 25 Adams st. Tel. 1895-1.

JOHN FLANN has a 4-room flat to let at 137 Gorham st.

2-ROOM FLAT, 2 to let at 92 Concord st., Room 19. Inquire at Hogan Bros. market.

8-ROOM HOUSE to let on 19th st. Bath room, furnace and laundry, with or without stable for driving horse. Apply 17 19th st.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping, to let. Steam heat, electric light. 75 East Merrimack st.

HALF OF NEW DOUBLE HOUSE to let. Has 6 rooms, heat, bath, laundry, cemented cellar, hardwood floors throughout and large yard. Rent reasonable. Inquire 687 Rogers st.

6-ROOM TENEMENT to let in Pawtucketville, bath, gas, hot water, open plumbing, sewer connection. Apply 29 Varnum st. or Tel. 1019-1.

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HAZARD HONEY and concealed badges made to order, scissors and knives sharpened at Harry Gonzales, 128 Gorham st. Tel. 862-2.

DRESSMAKERS wanted to learn to cut any style princess dresses for Easter. Dressmaking and repairing done. Mrs. M. J. Graves, former principal of Lowell Dress Cutting School, 81 East Merrimack st., Parkview House.

F. H. BITTER & CO., 391 Middlesex st., have a dead cure cure for rheumatism.

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LIBRARY, CHURCHY EXPERT—Chicago, Ill. (relocated) in Lowell. Residence 1128 Bridge st. Tel. 945.

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CASH PAID for furniture, carpets, stoves and ranges. Write, call or phone. C. Welcome, 185 Broadway.

THE SUN'S BOAT—The Sun is on sale every day. New boats from the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

MISCELLANEOUS

SECOND HAND FURNITURE of all kinds wanted, bought, sold and exchanged at Harry Gonzales, 128 Gorham st. Telephone 1975-6.

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LADIES—Earn \$15 per week copying letters, orders, etc. all on spare time; no canvassing; to protect ourselves from false credence send \$5.00 for outfit and instructions. Freeless Mfg. Co., Box 44, Southton, Pa.

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

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CHURCH MOVES

TO MAKE ROOM FOR A LIQUOR SALOON

PITTSFIELD, March 12.—To make room for an applicant for a liquor license the church of God, an undenominational organization, has been notified to move out of its quarters on West street where it has been holding services for two years. The location has been admirable for the work of the organization, being surrounded by saloons and restaurants. Undaunted by being forced out the members of the church will take rooms in the building above the saloon.

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A LOWELL WOMAN

Died Friendless and Penniless in Minneapolis

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 12.—Her fortune dissipated in vain attempts to become reconciled with her husband, deeming it her Christian duty to live with him, Mrs. Harriet Cole, said to be the daughter of a Lowell, Mass., judge, is dead here, penniless, friendless and alone.

It is said that during her search for her husband, who left her in 1896, following business reverses and family estrangement, in Lowell, Mrs. Cole spent between \$150,000 and \$200,000. A short time after the first disappearance of her husband, Waldo J. Cole, she began the search for him, which finally became her one life interest. At the end of the first year she spent \$30,000; but she had succeeded in finding him in Elgin, Ill., where he was working as a farm hand.

The disagreement which had first separated them still stood as a barrier. Cole refused to live with his wife again and a divorce was granted in the DuPage county courts. Then he dropped out of sight again.

Mrs. Cole took up her search once more. After long, anxious inquiry she located her husband in Bloomington,

INJURIES FATAL

YOUTH WAS HURT IN A FREIGHT WRECK

NEWBURYPORT, March 12.—The freight wreck on the Boston & Maine railroad near the Newburyport bridge, early today, resulted fatally for Waldo Cole, the 18 year old boy, who was riding on the brake beams. Welch, who was caught in the wreckage, died of his injuries in a hospital shortly after being taken there. The cause of the wreck is not known.

TONIGHT

Lowell High vs. Three Cambridge High Schools

The Best Ever. They'll Come to Win

UNCONSCIOUS

MANCHESTER WOMAN IS IN A SERIOUS CONDITION

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 12.—Mrs. Moses Wadleigh was found unconscious on the floor of her home, 179 Lowell street, early yesterday morning. On being revived she could give no explanation of her condition.

She stated that the last she could recall was that a young man came from the high school late Thursday afternoon to look after the furnace. She has no recollection of subsequent events.

Her husband, Major Moses Wadleigh, a travelling salesman, was located in Fitchburg, Mass., and arrived home last night. Mrs. Wadleigh, although unconscious, is said to be in a precarious condition.

DRIVER INJURED

HE WAS THROWN FROM FIRE ENGINE.

MELROSE, March 12.—Thrown from the seat of engine 1, which he was driving to a fire on Vine street yesterday noon-time, Charles Edwards, driver of the apparatus, had a narrow escape from serious injury when the rear wheel of the engine collided with a telegraph pole at the corner of Essex and Willow streets.

The horses were proceeding at a slow rate of speed, as there is a hill in that vicinity, and Edwards, springing quickly to his feet, was able to climb back on to the engine before they ran away.

The blaze was in the house, 21 Vine street, occupied by Mrs. W. I. Ellis. It started in an ash barrel and entailed a damage of about \$500.

EZRA E. MANSUR, Auctioneer

BY ORDER OF THE GUARDIAN OF M. JENNIE OSGOOD, I SHALL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION ON TUESDAY MORNING, MARCH 15, COMMENCING AT 9 O'CLOCK, AT 103 CHURCH STREET, THE FURNITURE CONTAINED IN THE HOUSE. INCLUDED IN THIS ARE MANY PIECES OF ANTIQUE FURNITURE IN GOOD CONDITION, WHICH WILL BE APPRECIATED BY COLLECTORS AND OTHERS.

We mention a few of the pieces: 1 handsome mahogany bureau, 1 real old-fashioned mirror in gold and black frame, 1 folding top card table (mahogany), 1 wash stand, 1 commode, 1 old-fashioned veneered mahogany bureau with mirror, 1 handsome clock, 1 small card table, 1 mahogany sofa (haircloth seat), 6 mahogany chairs with haircloth seats, 1 old clock with wooden works, several hard wood chairs (painted frames), a number of pieces of antique china, several handsome old-fashioned oil lamps, 1 very old lantern candelabra, marble base, brass standard with three branches and cut glass pendants, 1 extension table (very old and in good condition), 2 pewter platters, 1 pewter teapot, 1 pewter coffee pot, 1 mahogany framed mirror, 1 very beautiful antique hall lamp, 1 old-fashioned parlor table, 1 light stand, several pieces cut glass, antique jugs, jars, bottles, etc., carpenter's tools, used by Mr. Osgood many years ago; pictures; 1 musket, probably carried in the Revolution; an old style revolver; iron tongs and shovel, tongs and shovel with brass handles, stools, stands, etc.; beds and a great quantity of bedding; several pieces of sheeting that has never been made up; 1 good range, parlor stoves, kitchen furniture, trunks and chests. Much of the antique furniture came from the Fletcher family of Newburyport and is known to be not less than 125 years old. Other pieces came from the Sutton house at Andover, and is all very old, having been in the Osgood family for several generations.

The sale will start promptly at 9 o'clock, Tuesday morning, and continue until all is sold.
The premises will be open for inspection of goods after 9 a.m. Monday.
EZRA E. MANSUR, Auctioneer.

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Plumbers, Steam and Gas Fitters

People Want Strike Ended

NIGHT EDITION TWO CAR SPRINKLERS

Will be Put in Operation Soon as Possible

Cars Have Not Yet Arrived—Lowell Will Have Three Car Sprinklers This Year—Over \$100,000 Paid Out of City Treasury in Three Days—The Finance Committee Will Invest Davis Fund Money for Library—Other City Hall News

Unless there comes a hitch in present arrangements the car sprinklers will be put in operation before the last week in March. The contract reads from April 1st but the cars can be used overtime or before the time mentioned in the contract at so much per week reckoned on the basis of \$475 a month per car.

Mayor Meehan said today that he would confer with the superintendent of streets relative to getting the sprinklers out earlier than the first of April. Mr. Putnam, the superintendent of streets, says that he is willing to put the cars in operation just as soon as the contract is signed and the cars arrive. Three cars will be operated this summer instead of two as heretofore but the third car will not be used as many months as the other two. The new car will see but three months service a year while the other two will average seven months. The contract to be signed this time will be a five year contract, which means a discount of five per cent.

In using the cars before or after the dates specified in the contract the city will have to pay by the week, as has already been explained, and if the car is used but one day the cost will be the same as for a whole week, or about \$119. Merchants and others are in favor of getting the sprinklers out as early as possible as it means much for the health of the city.

Bunch of Money

There has been paid out of the city treasury in three days during the present month the sum of \$100,547.03. On March 1 the sum of \$9788.03 was paid to city officials, city firemen, state aid and soldiers' relief. Yesterday the monthly pay roll called for \$28,512.13 and today the monthly bill draft, representing bills against the city by merchants and others was settled. It amounted to \$48,267.92.

Two New Houses

Mrs. Phoebe Dobbs has been granted a permit to build two two-family houses in Grindale avenue off Hale street. The houses will be 23 by 50 feet, two stories. The estimated cost is \$2500 each.

John Davis Fund

The committee on finance will meet Monday afternoon at 12:15 for the purpose of investing \$5000 for the city library. The \$5000 has been earned by the John Davis fund and the city charter provides that the money shall be invested by the finance committee.

Fire Department Committee

The committee on the department will meet Thursday night at 8 o'clock for the purpose of holding a public hearing on the petitions of the Oakland Improvement Association and M. M. Allen and others for better fire protection in the Oakland. The hearing will be held in the public hearing room at city hall.

To Hold Meeting

A regular meeting of the aldermen will be held next Tuesday night. The meeting will not be called before 9 o'clock as several of the members are going to attend the board of trade banquet on that evening.

Bridge in Bridge Street

The bridge over the canal in Bridge street which was to have been built last fall will be built or work will be begun within a short time. Supt. of Streets Putnam has talked with Supt. Lees of the Boston & Northern street railway and Mr. Lees told him that all the material for the bridge was on

hand and that the company would get after it in a little while.

Meetings Next Week

Meetings scheduled for next week, at the city hall, are as follows: Monday—Finance committee 12:15 p. m. Tuesday—Aldermen 9 p. m. Committee on printing 9 p. m. Friday—Committee on streets 2 p. m.

Grade Crossings

There is prospect for early activity in the work of abolishing the grade crossings in School, Walker, Lincoln and Plain streets. It is understood that the work will begin just as soon as the weather permits. The railroad company seems very anxious to get the work underway. Mayor Meehan expects that the work will begin within a very short time.

Marriage Intentions

William Livingston, 38, grain dealer, 77 Livingston avenue, and Rena Bugbee, 28, at home, 14 Bertha street. Peter F. Tierney, 25, machinist, 41 Union street, and Mary Ferry, 21, at home, 432 Central street.

BAKERS TO STRIKE

NEW YORK, March 12.—The Koshers Bakers union decided yesterday to make a general demand on April 30 on behalf of 4000 kosher bakers in New York for an advance in wages of \$2 a week, to be enforced by a general strike if it is refused. Several hundred kosher bakers in six bakeries struck for this demand yesterday morning, ahead of time. The present wages of the kosher bakers range from \$14 to \$30 a week.

Houses That Sell

Investors and real estate dealers know the present demand for modern houses, modern tenements and modern farmhouses. How do modern houses differ from old houses? They are wired for electric service. A wired house will sell.

The Lowell Electric Light Corporation

50 Central Street

TO END STRIKE



Philadelphia People Depend on President Taft

PHILADELPHIA, March 12.—With the federal government interested, the National Civic Federation appealed to its assistance, and nearly every local trade and other organization aroused to action, all Philadelphia hopes that the general movement started yesterday to speedily end the big labor conflict will bring about the desired end. This is the twenty-second day of the strike and the eighth of the general walkout in support of the trolley men's cause and neither side to the controversy shows any disposition to yield.

All the plans so far devised call for arbitration. The striking car men are willing to submit their grievances to impartial judges but the directors of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. have repeatedly declared that they will consider no further plans looking for arbitration. They have several times announced that the strikers must first return to work and their grievances will then be taken up. If the company can be forced to recede from that position those interested in bringing an end to the trouble believe a speedy adjustment will be made. There are other people who believe that a great principle is involved and that the company will continue to resist all efforts to force it to arbitrate.

The belief is general that if President Taft should see his way clear to attempt to bring about peace a plan may be found that will bring the warring elements together. There is no law under which the president can act as an arbitrator. Commerce is not involved and whatever steps he may take probably would be about the lines President Roosevelt laid down when he intervened in the anthracite coal strike in 1902.

Little Change

There has been little change during the last few days in the general strike situation. The number of men who went out in response to the walkout order is still in dispute. Employers hope that next Monday will see a breaking up in the sympathetic strike. Many large establishments state that their employees have notified them that they will return to work on Monday. The houses who shut down their 180 mills this week, will re-open Monday morning and they expect that a majority of their 25,000 mill employees will return.

The strike leaders say they look for no break and express confidence that the men who went out in sympathy with the car men will stand firm. The committee of ten has announced that the car strike is not ended within 48 hours a general movement will be

started among the men who obeyed the general strike order to demand better conditions in their various occupations. How far this movement will go cannot be predicted.

PRES. GOMPERS IS SILENT

ON NATION-WIDE STRIKE
WASHINGTON, March 12.—"In regard to the extension of the strike from Philadelphia to the state of Pennsylvania or to the country, I do not want to discuss that subject for publication at this time," said President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor yesterday, in discussing the possibility of a state-wide or nation-wide strike as a result of the Philadelphia labor controversy.

"Whatever plans we may have for the protection of labor," he continued, "I do not know that it is necessary to publish or proclaim. The forces arrayed against labor meet in secret and plan their schemes. They take notice of the public nor labor into their conference. We will do the best we can to protect the rights and interests of the working people."

Referring to the action of the Philadelphia authorities yesterday in prohibiting the holding of a mass meeting at the baseball park, Mr. Gompers

BURGLARS MADE HAUL

At Unoccupied Residence of Hon.

Charles H. Allen

In Absence of Family and Caretaker, Burglars Entered Rolfe St. Residence Thursday Night and Secured Valuable Plunder

The residence of Hon. Charles H. Allen, former governor of Porto Rico, 57 Rolfe street, was entered by burglars either Thursday afternoon or evening and a large amount of valuable silverware and other articles taken.

The house was unoccupied at the time and the police who have been notified are waiting the return of the family to furnish them a list of the stolen articles. For the past few years the family has resided in New York except in summer. Mrs. Allen spending the entire summer in Lowell while Col. Allen spent about one month here last year.

The house, in the absence of the family is looked after by Mr. Daniel Gorham who resides in the vicinity, and it was during his absence that

the burglars made their haul. The house is surrounded by spacious and well wooded grounds, particularly in the rear of the Pawtucket street side and it was from this side that the burglars made their entrance by means of a rear window. The grounds in the rear rise abruptly from Pawtucket street in graceful slopes and terraces and contain a number of stately pines which hide the building from the view of passersby in Pawtucket street. There is but little foot travel on either Rolfe or Pawtucket streets at this point and hence burglars are given an excellent opportunity to make a break when the family is away. The extent of the plunder cannot be learned until some of the family arrive and prepare a list.

SISTERS BURIED

Services Held at St. Patrick's Church Today

The caskets containing the remains of the late Sister Mary Cyrille and Sister Mary Leontine were laid side by side before the main altar in St. Patrick's church where solemn high mass of requiem was sung for the repose of their souls this morning. Prior to leaving the Academy the office for the dead was read in the Academy chapel by Rev. William O'Brien, P. R. The celebrant of the mass was Rev. Joseph P. Curtin, who was assisted by Rev. John McLaughlin, sub-deacon, while Timothy Callahan, sub-deacon, while Rev. Fr. O'Brien assisted at the service within the sanctuary. The choir, under the direction of Michael J. Johnson, rendered the Gregorian mass. Mr. Andrew McCarthy giving the solos. The casket of Sister Mary Leontine

was borne by Rev. Brothers Crispin, Florence, Clement, and Ligouri. The remains of Sister Mary Leontine were borne to the Catholic cemetery and were interred in the lot of the Sisters of Notre Dame, services at the grave being conducted by the four clergymen who officiated at the church service. The remains of Sister Mary Cyrille were borne by Messrs. Richard Burke, John Cassidy, Thomas Hill, William Cunningham, Stephen Burke, and Thos. Hicks of Boston. The remains were forwarded to Boston on the 10:45 train, where burial took place in St. Joseph's cemetery. Present at the service were many graduates and former pupils of Notre Dame academy. The funerals were in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

said the men "were treated as the cock-sacks treat the Russians rather than as citizens of the United States."

"An attempt such as this," he said, "to deny and prohibit free assemblage and speech, and to wantonly, ruthlessly and brutally club men, women and children in the effort to exercise their right of free speech and free assemblage, is bound to react."

"In the United States we are led to believe that we are entitled to these rights under the constitution, and for the moment a corrupt gang, such as obtains in Philadelphia, may have the upper hand, but that cannot last long, not in free America. It is something that Philadelphia corporations and politicians do not seem to understand, that the greatest safety lies in freedom."

Reviewing the situation, Mr. Gompers said that everything was done by the men that could be done with honor to avoid the strike.

DEMAND FOR ARBITRATION MADE BY BUSINESS MEN

PHILADELPHIA, March 12.—The demands for arbitration of the differences between the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. and its 4000 or more striking employees became insistent yesterday within Philadelphia and outside of it. Everywhere it was recognized that the failure to arrive at an adjustment was the only thing which stood in the way of the speedy calling off of the sympathetic strike in this city, which has practically paralyzed the city's industrial life and which the labor leaders again threaten they will extend if the deadlock continues. These threats, perhaps, were the very things which stand in the way of an amicable adjustment.

At a representative meeting of business men yesterday the call for arbitration was the keynote of a two and a half hour's debate, which culminated in demands upon both local and national influences to set in motion forces to bring the traction dispute before mediators for settlement.

Gov. Stuart at Harrisburg was petitioned by labor men to take action and the patriotic citizens of the city and state were invoked in various resolu-

tions, statements and petitions, to exert their power to stop conditions which Philadelphia finds growing more intolerable daily.

Good order prevailed throughout the city yesterday. Not until late last night was there any sort of an outbreak in any quarter of the city. Coming out of a meeting which was held in Musical Fund hall at Eighth and Locust streets last night, a crowd displayed a turbulent spirit and passing trolley cars were stoned. The police by a show of force and the display of revolvers, subdued the demonstration before much mischief was done. Nobody was seriously injured and there were no arrests. The meeting itself, though enthusiastic, was orderly. It was featured by a declaration by C. O. Pratt, leader of the striking car men, that the sympathetic strike would not stop in Pennsylvania if the fight were prolonged.

"We will go through the United States," declared Pratt.

Cars ran unintermittently yesterday in greater numbers than since the strike began. The strikers did not claim many new recruits in their ranks and such as there were, the employers claimed, were more than offset by desertions from the strikers' cause.

FIRE BROKE OUT

In Chelmsford Foundry Today

Fire broke out in the Chelmsford foundry in North Chelmsford about 1:20 o'clock this afternoon and for a time looked as if it would do great damage. The fire fighters were quickly upon the scene, however, and the flames were given a knockout blow inside of half an hour. The fire started in the machine shop part of the foundry and did considerable damage.

Fred C. Church carried the insurance on the building and contents of the North Chelmsford foundry, damaged by fire this afternoon.

6 O'CLOCK IS FAR REACHING Settlement of B. & O. Controversy is Quite Important

BALTIMORE, Md., March 12.—The amicable settlement of the controversy of the conductors and trainmen of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and the officers of that road relative to wages and service conditions reached last night, it is understood to be of far-reaching importance. When President Willard as a final resort called upon the federal board of mediation composed, under the Erdman act, of Chairman Knapp of the interstate commerce commission and Commissioner of Labor, Neill, to take up the matter of the difference between the railroad and those of its employees represented by the Order of Conductors and the Brotherhood of Trainmen, it was recognized that the controversy was one which could not be bounded by the confines of the Baltimore & Ohio system. It has been tacitly understood that whatever was done by the Baltimore & Ohio would be taken as the basis of settlement by all other roads interested in a similar manner. These include practically all railroads east of the Mississippi river, the Canadian Pacific and the Grand Trunk employees have already voted and have already declared in favor of a strike if those roads do not recede

from their position. The negotiations on the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern have been broken off. The men of the Delaware & Hudson are now being polled and negotiations are now on with the New Haven system. These negotiations will, it is said, be followed by similar ones by most if not all the roads in the eastern section of the country. The terms of settlement effected by the good offices of Mr. Neill were not disclosed. Both sides made no further concessions. The settlement does not bring the men in the east to a par with the railroad men in the west, but it represents a substantial increase in their earnings and what the men value highly. It seems to insure the standardization of wages. By mutual agreement the question of double-header freight trains, the abolition of which the men ask, was laid aside for settlement in conjunction with other roads. Presidents Garretson and Lee of the two organizations, representing the men, are busy today preparing a statement to be sent out to the members of their organization. They just what has been gained in the fight just closed.

BRACELET FOUND

IT WAS PICKED UP IN A GUTTER

NEW YORK, March 12.—Mrs. Edward P. H. Talmage of Tuxedo has recovered a flexible link bracelet, with a small seal, said to be worth \$500, which was missing for four days. It was found by a laborer, who received a reward of \$200.

Mrs. Talmage has an apartment at the Gotham. She drove from the hotel last Friday in a taxicab to the United Charities building, at Twenty-second street and Fourth avenue. When she returned to the hotel her bracelet was missing. Her water was running in a drain, and she was looking for it in the gutter. She made a dash for it, but it was in his pocket and then watched the papers. All the other Fourth avenue, she was on the lookout for diamonds now.

FOR TAX DODGING \$50,000 LARCENY

Millionaires Arrested in Is Charged Against St. Louis Chas. Cummings

ST. LOUIS, March 12.—Ex-Governor David R. Francis and four other St. Louis millionaires were arrested yesterday on warrants charging them with defrauding the state treasury of \$50,000. They gave bonds of \$200 each, and will fight the charge, which is punishable with a fine of not less than \$10 or more than \$1000.

Mr. Francis was exceedingly disturbed when the warrant was read to him in his office. He remonstrated at signing his bond until he had consulted his attorney. The deputy sheriff was about to take him to prison, when the four courts when he asked the name of the ex-Governor's lawyer.

"He is Henry S. Priest," said Mr. Francis.

"Go and see him, then," said the deputy, with a smile.

On reaching Mr. Priest's office, the deputy read another warrant for the lawyer on the same charge. After a moment's consultation both men signed bonds though they declared they had not violated the tax laws.

CAMBRIDGE, March 12.—Charles Cummings, now serving a state prison sentence for larceny in connection with the shortage in the treasurer's accounts of Framingham was indicted today for the larceny of \$50,000 from the Holliston savings bank. It is charged that the bank bought bonds of the city of Lynn from Cummings, paying him the money but not receiving the bonds.

ALASKAN COAL CLAIMS
CLEVELAND, O., March 12.—The cross examination of Clarence Cunningham in the government inquiry into the Alaskan coal claims was begun today under Commissioner McGowan. Mr. Cunningham was examined yesterday by the attorneys for the claimants. He was charged, Louis J. Glavis with misrepresentation and obtaining affidavits under false pretenses. The federal authorities are endeavoring to prove that the claimants under the Cunningham survey had entered into a combination with the Guggenheim interests in defiance of the federal statute.

MAYOR'S AUTO

BIG ATTRACTION AT THE AUTO SHOW

LAWRENCE, March 12.—One of the most attractive exhibits at the big Boston Automobile show is the big Buick automobile, which is being shown in the handsome "Yellow" touring car made to order and purchased by Mayor White of this city, and the splendid machine is the envy of all the auto enthusiasts who visit the great show.

The machine is of the most elaborate and expensive construction and is said to have cost nearly \$5000.

The body of the car is bright red in color and is fitted with wind shields, extra shoes, Presto-like tank, speedometer and every other requisite of a first class car.

Matty Ripon, the mayor's secretary, has shown the machine to several of the mayor's intimate friends and all express themselves in highest terms of admiration.

When the new machine comes to town Lawrence can boast of a mayor with a touring car, the most expensive in the city as well as the most attractive in appearance.

PRESIDENT TO ATTEND FUNERAL

WASHINGTON, Mar. 12.—President Taft will leave this evening for Pittsburgh, where tomorrow at 3 p. m. he will attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, Thomas L. Lamm, who died last night at that place. Mrs. Taft will not accompany him.

The president will be back in Washington early Monday.

THE SALMON LAUNCHED

QUINCY, March 12.—Another submarine boat was added to the United States navy today by the launching of the Salmon at the yard of the Fore River Shipbuilding Co. Miss Eunice Fitzgerald, a daughter of Mayor Fitzgerald of Boston, christened the Salmon.

PASTOR MILLER DEAD

ST. JOHN, N. B., March 12.—Rev. Mr. Miller, pastor of the Baptist church at Jamaica, N. B., died in that town today, aged 61 years. Mr. Miller came here ten years ago from Croton, where he was pastor of the local church. For a time he was general chaplain of the Connecticut Order of Old Fellows. He is survived by a widow and four children.

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and you will use it all the time. Best for all weather effects on the skin. Get it today. 25c or 50c.

Dyspeptics

Unlike soda milks, are not a strong alkali—no bad effect attends their continued use. They quickly sweeten sour stomach, stop belching, relieve heartburn, nausea, sickness; also cleanse from indigestion. 10 or 50c. Remember the name, Dyspeptics.

NEW HAVEN ROAD

Will Not Oppose the Grand Trunk

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Mar. 12.—The prospects for the extension of the Grand Trunk system to Providence appear much brighter than they have been at any time in the opinion of business men. The business community expressed surprise today that the New York, New Haven & Hartford has agreed not to oppose the Canadian road's application for a charter, which is to be acted upon shortly by the Rhode Island legislature. Yesterday, when the legislative committee on corporations resumed its hearings on the application, President Mellen of the New Haven road will probably attend if he considers it necessary after the statement made at the session late yesterday by Vice President Buckland.

Speaking for the New Haven road, Mr. Buckland said:

"I wish to say that if the proposed charter to be granted the New England R. R. Co. is the bona fide desire of a reliable solvent corporation in enter Rhode Island it would be a foolishness for me to attempt to stop it, for it would be so obviously for the interests of the state of Rhode Island."

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AID OF COURT

Has Been Invoked by the International Paper Co.

PLEADS GUILTY

Pommerleau Held in \$600 For Burglary

Judge Pickman presided over the police court this morning and disposed of the morning's docket in 15 minutes.

There were five drunks.

A clean looking man who was arrested last week and who appeared drunk in court when his trial came up for drunkenness, came down from the bar this morning where he has been recovering from the effects of his prolonged spree for the past several days and was given a sentence of one month in jail, suspended for three months. When arrested he had \$5 in his pockets and the roll was returned to him this morning.

John Pommerleau charged with breaking and entering the store of Fred Timmons and who came back from New York last evening and gave himself up pleaded guilty of breaking and entering and was held in \$600 for his appearance before the superior criminal court on Tuesday.

REV. MR. WARD

IS CONDUCTING A CAMPAIGN IN ERIE, PA.

Rev. Charles S. Ward, who conducted the Y. M. C. A. campaign in this city, is now in Erie, Pa., conducting a campaign for \$200,000. After the campaign in Erie, he will go to Washington, D. C., where he will be a campaign in Birmingham, Ala., where \$275,000 was secured in 12 days. \$63,000 of this amount being for the Y. M. C. A.

In Cleveland the amount of \$540,000 was secured and then \$100,000 for the Y. M. C. A.

AUTO SMOKE

OBJECTED TO BY NEW YORK WOMEN

NEW YORK, March 12.—Headed by Miss Katherine Day, chairman of the street committee of the Woman's Municipal league, a delegation of women attended a public hearing held yesterday by the committee on laws and regulations of the board of aldermen on the pending ordinance making it an offense to allow the emission of "smoke" from automobiles.

Miss Day said that smoking automobiles endangered women and children crossing streets by jolting them and placing them in peril of being run over. Mrs. John Rogers of the Women's committee of the Federation of Women's clubs insisted that public health demanded restriction on the belching of fumes from automobiles.

Others who spoke in favor of the proposed ordinance were Charles J. Campbell of the Hotel Men's association, Dr. Holbrook Curtis, Col. Crosby of the National Highway Protective association, Frederick G. Cook, president of the Fifth Avenue association, and John Coleman of the West End association.

It is understood that the ordinance will be reported favorably by the committee.

THE PATTEN INCIDENT

LIVERPOOL, March 12.—The James A. Patten incident at the Manchester cotton exchange yesterday has stirred up considerable feeling among the brokers there, between whom and the Liverpool brokers there is much jealousy. The local business men are anxious to disassociate themselves from a suspicion of complicity in the insult and expulsion which followed the appearance of the Chicago speculator on the floor of the cotton exchange.

A Liverpool merchant today received from New York this cable message:

"The report of the treatment of Patten at Manchester is disgusting. I pretend friendship for America. Would heathenish China be guilty of this? Patten is one of America's purest men." The recipient of the cablegram replied thus:

"Liverpool resents the Manchester treatment of Patten. The best Manchester men are not so stupid as personally feel the discourtesy strongly."

ENGINEER DAVIS AT MEN'S RETREAT

Testified at the Ballinger-Pinchot Hearing Today

WASHINGTON, March 12.

Chief Engineer A. P. Davis of the reclamation service, who yesterday fully testified the truth of many statements made by Secretary Ballinger in President Taft and others, continued today as the witness before the Ballinger-Pinchot investigating committee.

Mr. Davis, when adjournment was taken yesterday was telling of interviews he had had with Secretary Ballinger concerning the work of reclamation service.

Chief Engineer Davis was questioned further. He declared that the interior department had continued to constantly criticize the reclamation service and that within the last week had told the witness he thought the salaries paid in the service were too high and that he proposed a new salary scale. Mr. Davis declared that the rumor had persisted that Director Newell was slated to go.

The witness referred further to the animosity against the service in some communities in the west. Senator Sutherland sought to show that much of the dissatisfaction was due to the fact that on some projects the original estimate of the cost of water had been \$30 an acre. Mr. Davis admitted that this might be the cause of some of the discontent.

The engineers of the reclamation service ought to have the earnest support of the secretary of the interior. He did not feel that Secretary

Ballinger, had given his support to them.

Mr. Pepper read into the record a letter recently addressed to the house committee on ways and means by Secretary Ballinger in support of the \$30,000,000 bond issue for reclamation work. In this letter Secretary Ballinger spoke of the hardships which had resulted to settlers on some of the projects whose co-operation agreements had been entered into by former Secretary Garfield. He also claimed that inducements had been held out to settlers to come on the land. Mr. Davis contradicted practically every statement in the letter. He declared that under orders of Secretary Ballinger, E. T. Perkins of the Chicago office of the reclamation service went through the west lecturing in a black tent to advertise reclamation work. Service officials learned that Perkins in addition to getting a salary of \$3000 a year was receiving an allowance of \$500 a month from the Harriman railroad lines. The Hill lines protested that Perkins was coming into their territory and lecturing about projects on the Harriman lines. Mr. Davis said he recommended Perkins' dismissal. Director Newell did not agree to this at first but later wrote to Perkins and in a polite way requested his resignation. Sec'y Ballinger reprimanded Newell for interfering in a matter which was being personally conducted by him.

Large Congregation at Immaculate Conception Church

Rev. George I. Nolan, O. M. I., Gave an Eloquent Sermon on the Mercy of God—Retreat Will Close Tomorrow Night

Another large congregation of menfolk wrote upon the ground as though he heard them not. So when they continued asking him, he lifted himself up and said unto them: "He that is without sin among you, let him cast the first stone." And again he stooped down and wrote upon the ground. And they which heard it being convicted by their own consciences, went out one by one, beginning at the eldest even to the youngest and Jesus was left alone, and the woman standing in the midst. When Jesus had lifted him up and saw none but the woman he said unto her: "Woman, doth no man condemn thee?"

"She said: 'No man, Lord.' And Jesus said unto her, 'Neither do I condemn thee: Go thee hence and sin no more.'"

Fr. Nolan then emphasized the mercy of God in the beautiful story of Mary Magdalen, who washed the feet of Jesus and those of Peter the disciple, who denied his Lord, and then dwelt eloquently upon the supreme instance of the mercy of God when Christ, dying on the cross at Calvary, cried out to heaven, "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do."

"Christ is the same God of love today that he was when he gave his life for the redemption of man," continued the preacher. "The mercy of God is not strained today. There is mercy for us if we humble ourselves by a good and free confession. Be faithful to the resolutions made at confession and the mercy of God will be obtained. Avoid sin and not only sin itself but the occasion of sin, and make frequent visits to the altar. Seek God in the tribunal of penance and do not abuse his mercy and in departing hence from this mission keep ever in mind the words I have repeated to you, 'Go thee hence and sin no more.'"

At the 9 o'clock mass in addition to the congregational singing Mr. Andrew McCarthy, baritone soloist of St. Patrick's church, will sing Saint-Saens' "O Salutaris."

French Missions Close

The Lenten missions which have been conducted for the past four weeks at St. Joseph's and St. Jean Baptiste churches by Rev. Frs. Diarmid and Bonaventure, of the Capuchin order, will close tomorrow. The married men's mission, the last, will close tomorrow night.

A general mission, for all the parishioners, will open at the same time at St. Mary's, South Lowell. Rev. Fr. Arthur Bernhe, O. M. I., will be the preacher.

At St. Jean Baptiste church on Wednesday night, a children's mission will open, for the children below 16 years having made their first communion. Rev. Fr. Gustave Bernhe, O. M. I., will be the preacher.

AID OF COURT

Has Been Invoked by the International Paper Co.

SARATOGA, N. Y., March 12.

The aid of the courts was invoked today by the International Paper Co. to protect its property and the strike breakers who are in the mills. Attorneys for the company secured a temporary injunction from Justice Van Hook, president of the Papermakers' union, and all the unions now on strike from intimidating or interfering with the men now employed or who may be employed by the company.

The injunction, a sweeping one and enforcing all picketing and patrolling. According to the terms of the order it will be in effect until March 19, 1910, when argument will be heard in Plattsburgh. The temporary injunction was granted on voluminous affidavits from deputy sheriffs and employees of the company to the effect that there had been disturbance among the strikers; that attempts have been made to dynamite cars, and that the company has experienced trouble in bringing in strike breakers. Copies of the injunction were served today upon the presidents of the unions and the employees of the company who are on strike at Corinth.

Another trainload of 150 strike breakers was sent to the Corinth mills of the company this noon. No disorder marked their arrival in the northern village. More strike breakers will follow Monday. In the belief that but one company of militia is now required at Corinth, Sheriff Washburn will late today request Major Kent in charge of the National Guard in that village to withdraw Companies C and F of Schenectady within the next 48 hours.

KILLED BY SON

New York Woman Was Attacked by Her Son

NEW YORK, March 12.

E. Reade, Sr., is in the employ of the Equitable Life Assurance society as a mason and builder. He is now in Peoria, Ill. He was notified by telegraph of the tragedy in his home.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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GRAND JURY REPORT

Indictments Against All Five Lowell Defendants

The grand jury reported at the court house in Lowell this morning and all most turned right round and walked right out again for they were here less than half an hour and the local police didn't know of their presence until they had gone.

Indictments were found in four Lowell cases. The Polish girl who was arrested on a charge of manslaughter, George Summerville, who was charged as the result of the discovery of the dead body of her new-born baby wrapped in a bundle of clothes in a house in Stockpole street was indicted for concealing the death of her baby rather than for manslaughter.

Lois Lefebvre and George Lefebvre were indicted for breaking and entering.

John Sybuck alias John McGunn, was indicted for breaking and entering the store of Fred Timmons, while a similar indictment was found against George Summerville, who was charged with the murder of a woman in police court this morning.

Court will open on Monday in this city for the trial of cases with Judge Stevens on the bench.

A STATUE

MAY BE ERECTED TO MEMORY OF NEWSPAPER MAN

WASHINGTON, March 12.—If a bill introduced in the house yesterday by Representative Douglas of Ohio becomes a law a statue will be erected in Washington to Janarius Aloysius MacGahan, a newspaper man whose successful efforts in behalf of the Bulgarians earned for him the title of "The Liberator of the Bulgarians." Mr. Douglas's bill provides for an appropriation of \$20,000.

MacGahan reported to the world the facts connected with the Turkish atrocities in Bulgaria. His reports aroused the interests of Gladstone, who took up the cause of the Bulgarians and encouraged them to declare war with Turkey. The exercise of Gladstone's influence resulted in the recognition of Bulgaria's freedom from Turkey by the Berlin congress of 1878. The Bulgarians celebrate his memory every year with a regatta race.

BERLIN, March 12.

The Hamburg-American steamship line has decided to open a trans-Atlantic passenger service to southern ports of the United States in consequence of the rapid development of these points. The headquarters of this service will be at New Orleans and there will be monthly sailings.

STRANGE BEAST AT ZOO

NEW YORK, March 12.—Up in the Bronx zoo they have a new beast, but cannot place it. It may be a leopard or it may be a species of rare monkey.

Two days ago the zoo was called up by a dealer in animals near the Battery who said he had an animal for sale. He thought it might be a leopard. He wanted \$30 for it. He got the beast from some sailors on a ship that arrived a week ago from Africa.

The authorities bought the specimen and Dr. W. Reed Blair, the zoo veterinarian, has it in the animal hospital. The animal experts can't decide whether it is a monkey or a leopard or in a class by itself. It has a mane like a lion and a long tail.

BADLY INJURED

Joseph Lefage, about 40 years old, fell from the top of a building to the ground this forenoon and was badly injured. Lefage was in the employ of Contractor Bibeault and was working on a building in Howard street. He fell from the roof of the building and it was at that thought that he was killed. The ambulance was summoned and he was removed to the Lowell hospital. It was stated at the hospital that the man was badly injured and the doctors were not sure that his injuries would not prove fatal.

BASEBALL NEWS

Some Gossip About New England League Clubs

There is a story current that Tom Tukey, the former Connecticut leaguer, who was sold to Lynn and went from there to the Boston Nationals, is to be turned back to Lynn. Manager Billy Hamilton of the Lynn team says he knows nothing about it.

According to latest advices from Worcester, Mass., and Nashville, Tenn., Harry Noyes is to play with the Lawrence club of the New England league the coming summer. Bill Bernhardt, the Nashville manager, couldn't get Harry to return to the south so he traded him to Worcester. Harry likewise refused to go north and this made trouble for Manager Joe Burkelt of Worcester. So Jess turned him back to Nashville. Now comes word from Lawrence that he has been landed there, but nothing has yet been heard from Harry concerning it.

Lawrence could have sold Tommy Catterson and Pembroke Finlayson but refused to do so. New Bedford offered Brooklyn Cunningham and Bauman for the right to buy the players, but they were passed up, and Lawrence won the players—Exchange.

Looks a bit phony for Dowd has been talking of the big leagues and a bunch of money for Bauman and Cunningham all winter long.—New Bedford Standard.

Big Bill Massey is on the police force in Philadelphia.

The signal contracts of Pitcher Arthur Maybom and Outfielder "Ginger" Reynolds, were received at the local headquarters yesterday, and there are now only two men who have failed to sign. These men are John Hess, pitcher, and Pat Crisham, who was purchased from the Syracuse club of the New York State league.

Hess and Crisham have both returned their contracts unsigned. Hess had some trouble with the local management last year, and as a result he was loaned to Northampton for the remainder of the season. He was originally purchased by the local club from Nashville.

It was thought Crisham would be glad to play here as he is a warm personal friend of Manager Bauman. He is in business in Syracuse, however, and this is probably why he does not wish to leave there.

Hess and Crisham must sign with Lawrence or they cannot play ball, unless they are traded to some other team.—Lawrence Telegram.

New Bedford's Team

Allan W. Keane, the New Bedford Times baseball expert writes as follows:

Thomas J. Dowd, prince of baseball's fancy dressers, always wants an oddity

or a novelty on his ball club, and his latest move to give the New England circuit a drawing card has been to sign up Joe Neptune, a full blooded Oldtown, Maine, Indian, who is said to be a second Sockalexis.

Neptune will not be an entire stranger to the New England league. He was given a few days' workout by the Lynn club near the end of the summer in 1908, although there are some in Lynn who say that it was not Neptune who came there, but a ringer. At any rate the alleged redskin was chased back to his home on Indian Island at Oldtown after a few days of New England league campaigning.

Dowd thinks Neptune will show the fans some class this spring. He has played in the Maine trolley and state leagues for two or three years and made good. He is an outfielder and is very fast. Dowd says he has an arm like Crum.

With Swatt, the Medford backstop, who has been with the Cherokee Indian team for three seasons, and Neptune, under his wing, Dowd may start a young reservation at Athletic field this spring and act as government agent. Dowd is angling for another Indian who is said to be a twister and the trio should make a hit with the fans in the preliminary games.

Has Good Man in Pratt

In Catcher Pratt, whom Dowd gets from Nashville, he has a big chap built like Ulrich and a mighty good man. He has had considerable experience in baseball and is said to be a finely hitler. Morrow, the outfielder, is highly recommended. He is fast on his feet, a fine judge of fly balls and a hard hitter.

Dowd has another outfielder from New York city. His name is Thomas Dowling, and he was sought after by the Jersey City club before Sir Thomas dazzled him with his glittering diamond shirtstud and got the youngster to accept terms while under the influence of the rahabaw rays which shot from the stone.

He has also signed a semi-pro catcher named J. P. Walsh, whose home is in Binghamton, New York. An infielder named Cassin from New York city, who played in the Three-Eye league last season, is another candidate for the Whalers. He is a left hand hitter and very fast getting down to first.

Dowd's fancy runs to big catchers and he has signed up a chap named Tim O'Brien of St. Louis. The boy has been in the Trolley league of the Mount City and is considered ripe for first company. He is over six feet in his stockings and a handy backstop.

I received a letter yesterday from J. Gary Wilson, the third baseman,

who is now at his home in Baltimore. Gary is working out with a bunch of Baltimore boys on the diamond. He says the grass is green and the weather is like the climate of New England in June. It is the Maryland boy's intention to be in the best of shape this spring and he says that the man who takes his job from him will have to show class.

Among the players with whom Gary is working are Shortell and Aubrey of the Syracuse club; Kestler of Wilkes-Barre; Schmidt, Byers and Russell of the Baltimore team; Smith of Portsmouth; Brenner of Norfolk; Sullivan of Louisville; Loudenslager of Newark; "Denson" Morrissey, ex-Whaler, now of Danville; Baker of Trenton and England of the Washington Americans. A letter from Fred W. Ulrich, with the Brooklyn Nationals at Hot Springs, brings me a bunch of green grass from the diamond where the big leaguers are working. Ulrich is making a fine impression with the Dodgers and may stay up in the big show. In a game the other day he made two hits out of two times at the bat and the Baltimore Eagle war correspondent says he made a fine showing behind the bat, getting away with a heady and lightning double play with the bases full.

Bill Cunningham quits basketball this week. In a letter sent from his home this week he says that he is going to take a three weeks' rest before coming on to New Bedford. He says that he hears there will be a dozen candidates for the infield and he will have to fight to hold his position at the keystone corner.

From far out in the heart of Indianapolis, where he is caring for his father's baker shop, Charles "Patsy" Bauman has written to Manager Dowd, so a letter from his says asking that he be traded to some western team as he does not want to come to the east again and play ball. Patsy is too valuable a man to get away and Dowd will not let him go unless he gets something pretty good in exchange.

Work has been started at Athletic field to put the diamond in shape. The fans will hardly know the place when they see it next summer for Whaletown is scheduled for a grass diamond and the park will have many changes.

The Haverhill Record of recent date had the following:

Another element in the increased cost of living which seems to have been ignored by the congressional inquisitors and their volunteer assistants is baseball. As our neighbor on the right would say, take a stab at the situation ten years ago. One major league club owned its own grounds, and that one had to buy them to keep a railroad from acquiring a new switchyard. There was not a baseball plant in the country which claimed to seat 15,000 persons without cheating on a player whose salary surpassed \$2400 or a man of a vivid imagination. There was only one major league and not half a dozen minor leagues which even hoped to do better beyond the glorious Fourth. Today there are 16 major leagues, in which ten of the 16 clubs either own their plants outright or occupy premises owned by men interested in baseball clubs.

There are five plants of steel and concrete either completed or in process of construction which represent investments of between \$300,000 and \$1,000,000 apiece. Several of them can seat 20,000 spectators. The player whose salary does not exceed \$2400 a year is either raw material or unable to make his demands known even by signs. A team manager who draws \$10,000 salary is not an isolated exception, and it is thought one or two star players are paid that much for six months' effort. There are 30 odd minor leagues consisting of from six to eight clubs each, and these which do not finish their seasons are the exceptions.

The cost to pay for the mammoth stands of concrete on the grounds on which they stand did not come out of the earth or the air; neither are they the product water, aquatic or stockmarket. The salaries of thousands of players to man the teams of hundreds of major and minor leagues are not paid by sport-loving philanthropists actuated solely by the joint desire to give their townsmen much joy and their town seats of free advertising. The immense quantity of pesos required to maintain baseball in every city which fuels it can afford to advertise, from California to Maine and from Duluth to New Orleans, comes out of the pockets of every class. The cruel trust promoter, the unfeeling manufacturer, the greedy machines which collect and supply the food market, the sired middlemen, the discontented world of labor, the banker, the broker, the hard-worked, uncomplaining clerk, the railroad magnate, and going all the way back to the soil, the farmer—all have contributed their tithe to baseball.

No matter what color or creed a man is or where he has played before, Al Winn says that he is willing to sign him up for his league. Winn is sure of the league first, Albin-Hayes-erhill Record.

RUN ON BANK

CLEVELAND, O., March 12.—After as vigorous a run on a banking house as has ever been known in Cleveland, the stampeding depositors of the Society for Savings yesterday regained their equilibrium and yesterday afternoon the pace was over.

In the two days and a half that the run lasted \$1,250,000 was withdrawn, at the rate of \$1225 a minute. As the majority of the depositors affected were small ones, hundreds amounting to less than \$100, the record made by the bank in handling this withdrawal is considered as remarkable.

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MISS DALY, \$7,000,000 HEIRESS, SOON TO BE BRIDE OF COUNT



NEW YORK, March 12.—Not less than \$7,000,000 is the generally accepted estimate of the amount of the fortune of Miss Harriet Daly of this city, daughter of the late Marquis Daly, the "mining king" of Montana and New York, who is to be married to Count Anton Sigray of Hungary here on March 25. Miss Daly is known in New York society for her beauty and

poise, with a perfect complexion. Count Sigray is an intimate friend of Count Szechenyi, who was married to Miss Gladys Vanderbilt two years ago. He acted as best man at the Vanderbilt-Szechenyi wedding. It was there that he first met Miss Daly. Sigray is a member of the oldest and wealthiest of Hungarian families, and it is said that his fortune is at least equal to that of his fiancée.

U. S. EXPRESS CO. BOWLING NOTES

May be Taken From the Several Contests on the Platts Alleys

NEW YORK, March 12.—Legal proceedings are again pending in the supreme court of New York state in the suit brought by some of the stockholders of the United States Express company to take the control of the company out of the hands of the family of

The Bartlett & Dow clerks and the U. S. Bowling team played a spirited and a close game on the Crescent alleys, last night, the latter team winning by six pins. The score:

U. S. Bowling				
Birtwistle	1	2	3	T
Wilbur	75	72	74	221
Nelson	69	73	74	216
Eurt	70	91	92	253
Kennedy	56	58	55	169
	58	75	81	214
Totals	397	401	429	1228

Bartlett & Dow				
Lafamme	81	74	73	228
Draper	76	82	90	248
Walker	80	73	73	226
Cheney	81	89	90	260
Gill	75	87	82	244
Totals	495	421	408	1324

The Mispicks beat the Platts on the Crescent alleys last night by 24 pins. The score:

Mispicks				
Fluk	75	79	84	238
Huttrely	105	81	104	290
Olson	73	68	84	225
Keeney	77	85	93	255
Evleth	77	75	76	228
Totals	406	387	441	1234

Platts				
Lathmer	88	70	73	231
Robinson	82	79	83	244
Tobey	74	73	76	223
O'Brien	78	83	87	248
Moran	89	88	80	257
Totals	406	394	411	1211

The post office clerks and carriers boxed a close game on the Crescent alleys, last night. The clerks won by the narrow margin of 11 pins. The score:

Clerks				
McGrath	78	85	78	241
O'Dea	91	80	96	267
Turquett	75	81	74	230
Shore	91	96	79	266
S. Willis	79	93	81	253
Totals	411	451	408	1270

Carriers				
Morgan	83	84	84	251
Rushway	79	78	75	232
Al Willis	80	79	87	246
Rogers	87	89	91	267
Shaughnessy	84	82	82	248
Totals	414	421	428	1263

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Passaway (tribe, No. 22, I. O. R. M., held its regular meeting last night and the wigwag held many visiting chiefs. Sachem George Houle was the big noise. A big raft of routine business was taken care of and a communication was received from Great Sachem Alvin G. Weeks, stating that the smaller tribes have taken a new life and report gains in membership. There are 125 tribes in this reservation with a total of 16,575 members. The degree staff exemplified the hunter and warrior's decree on three adopted warriors.

Wameet Lodge, K. of P., No. 25, K. of P., held a regular meeting last night, and its staff worked the third rank on one episode of S. H. Hines lodge. The second rank will be worked next Tuesday on several pages by S. H. Hines lodge. The entertainment committee has invited the members to bring their ladies next Friday night. The rank of knight will be worked on March 28th.

HOUSE THIEVES

Have Been Operating in Broadway and Got Jewelry

The local police are on the lookout for house thieves who have been operating in this city with more or less success for the last few weeks. The last breaks reported were in Broadway, where two blocks and a tenement over a bakery were entered. These breaks were reported to the police, but the in-

spector who has the matter in hand was not at the police station this afternoon and, inasmuch as he had all the details in his pocket, none remained for the reporter. Included in the articles stolen from the places in Broadway were a gold watch and gold bracelets. So far as is known the thieves did not succeed in getting any money.

A LECTURE

WILL BE GIVEN FOR ST. MICHAEL'S HOLY NAME SOCIETY

The Holy Name society of St. Michael's church will be entertained at a lecture in the Odd Fellows hall, in Bridge street on April 14th, by Thomas B. Lawler of Boston, the well known lecturer and educator, who will speak on "The Philippines." The lecture will be illustrated by 150 views taken by Mr. Lawler personally.

CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned wishes to thank all her relatives and friends, and especially the employees of the Lowell post office, who by words of consolation, acts of kindness and floral offerings, helped to lighten her burden of sorrow in the hour of her bereavement on the death of her beloved sister, Ann Maria Brady. To each and all she is deeply grateful and will ever remember their sympathetic kindness. Katie Brady.

Julius Paulant, a former resident of this city, is visiting his relatives and renewing old acquaintances. He has been for several years in Mobile, Ala., engaged in the marble cutting business. He is a brother of Lucius Paulant of the C. H. Church Insurance company.

LICENSE APPLICATIONS

Up to the time of going to press this afternoon some twenty applications for liquor licenses had been received at the office of the board of police.

WEALTHY MAN

TO TAKE WAITRESS AS HIS BRIDE

NEW YORK, March 12.—Cupid has been up to tricks again. Here is a girl who has been earning \$5 a week in a New York department store about to marry a man with so many dollars that she probably never will have to think of money matters again.

She is now Miss Anna Kaffus of Elizabeth, N. J., and her fiancé is Walter Everett Severance. They are to be married on Easter Monday, and today will be the last day that Miss Kaffus will spend serving luncheons to women shoppers. Four years ago she was employed

as a waitress in a summer hotel on Lake Placid, the Ruessmatt. Mr. Severance visited there for an occasional dinner while living at his father's summer home, farther along the lake, and there he met the girl he is to marry.

Mr. Severance lives in Peru, N. Y., where his father owns a 100-acre farm. His only sister married Joseph Moore of Boston and lives in that city.

AUTO PROTECTIVE

Will Arrive in Lowell Next Week

The automobile protective, which is now on exhibition at the automobile show in Boston will be delivered in this city next Monday.

While the date of delivery, according to the contract, was Dec. 28, 1909, and for every day since then the manufacturers have got to pay \$5 to the city, the Knox company, which secured the contract for the machine, has been rather dilatory. While it is said that the delay was occasioned by adverse circumstances, it is thought that the manufacturers kept back the delivery of the machine in order to exhibit it at the automobile show.

According to the specifications, the machine is to be fitted with Diamond tires, but the tires on the machine at the present time are Fiske tires and before the machine is accepted the tires will have to be changed.

Monday morning the machine will be taken from Boston and sent over the road to Lynn and from there to Salem where it will be inspected by the fire departments of those cities that contemplate the purchase of automobile apparatus.

The car will arrive in Lowell Monday night and be installed at the Protective station in Warren street and on Thursday of next week will be put through a test under the supervision of the committee on fire department.

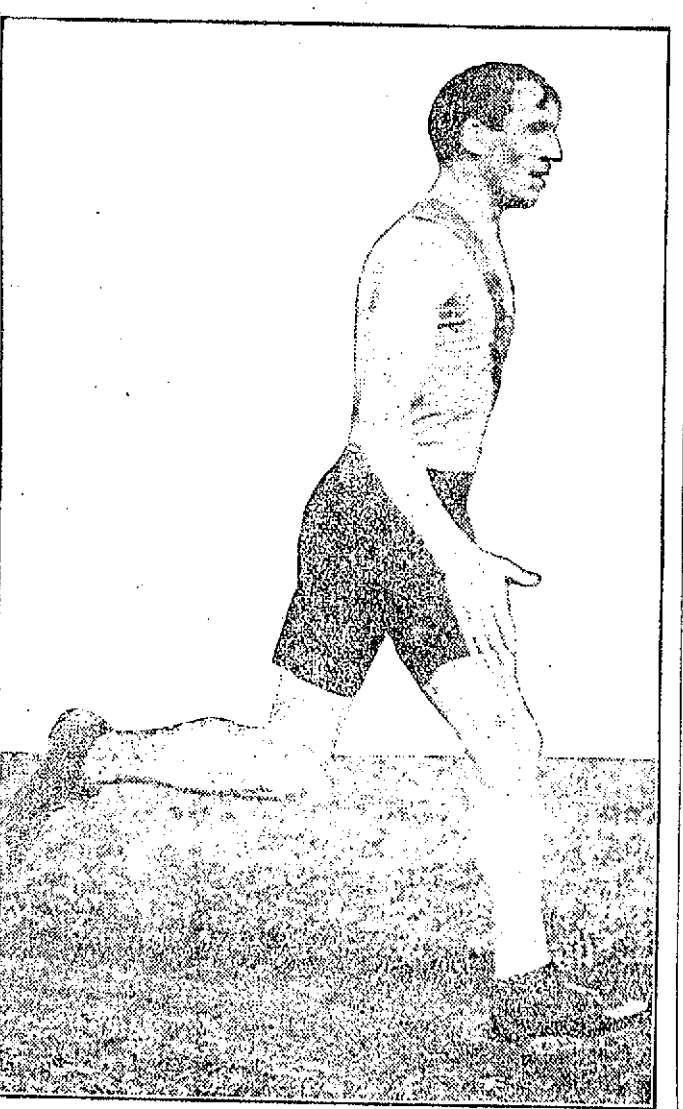
It will be given a severe test, including the mounting of some of the steepest hills in the city, the stopping and starting of the engine and other similar stunts.

TWO PROMINENT MEMBERS OF THIS SEASON'S HOLDOUT BRIGADE



As the opening of the baseball season draws closer the fans are deeply agitated because of the refusal of several stars to attach their signatures to their contracts. Although the 1910 holdout brigade is not nearly as large as last year's, there are two prominent stars members of it—Howard Camnitz, one of the Pittsburgh Nationals' crack twirlers, and Owen Bush, the hustling shortstop of the Detroit Americans—whose respective teams would suffer by their absence. Pitcher Camnitz, who has been a member of the Pittsburgh aggregation for the last two seasons, has announced just what his pay envelope must contain before he signs up with

FRANK CLARK, IRISH CHAMPION, REGARDED AS DARK HORSE



NEW YORK, March 12.—Widespread Irish enthusiasm held in Scotland interest is being taken in the coming twenty mile race to be held in Madison Square Garden March 14. Entered in the event are eight of the fastest runners in the world, and a new record for the distance is expected. The men who will compete in the race are as follows: Fred Meadows, the Canadian who won the fifteen mile event held here recently; Gustave Ljungstrom, the Swede, who finished second to Meadows; Jim Crowley, the former amateur champion, who finished second in the Edinburgh

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INSPECTOR DOW

Says Sunlight is Essential in Bath System

"We could do no better than to model our bath house, of we build one, on the lines followed by the state highway commission at the beaches," says James Dow, inspector of buildings. "He does not believe in basement bath houses because of the absence of light from overhead. He likes the beach bath house because every part of the interior is light from overhead. Sunlight is an important element in every sanitary bath house. We should have it in ours."

Mr. Dow does not believe in locating the new hall in the vicinity of city hall, and he says that the best light can be obtained in a one-story building, with skylights or roof of glass, that might be removed in the summer time if need be. He does not believe in grouping public buildings and gives as his opinion that the Morris property, at the corner of John and Paige streets would be an almost ideal location for a new hall. He says the old Moody school house, at the corner of East Main and High streets, might, at a small expense, be made into a suitable bath house. He considers it much preferable to build public buildings in various parts of the city where they will serve as models to owners of property adjoining. One thing always happens when a public building is planned in a good section of a city. Land in the vicinity increases in value, and if old and unsightly buildings cover the same, the taxes or the increase in land value after the time will make it unprofitable for the owner to keep the old buildings. He will put up structures that will bring in a rental in keeping with the value of his property.

U.S. AMBASSADOR TOOK CHILDREN Has Been Sued by a Husband Now Offers to Return Them

PITTSBURG, March 12.—Pittsburg was treated to a rather unusual sensation yesterday when it became known that United States Ambassador to Rome John G. A. Leishman, former president of the Carnegie Steel company of Pittsburgh, and one of Andrew Carnegie's former partners and advisers, has been sued by a prominent French attorney for the balance of a peculiar bill.

The legal firm of Dalzell, Fisher & Hawkins of Pittsburgh, representing Maitre O. E. Rodington, a counsel for Paris, has issued a writ of foreign attachment against the personal bank account of Ambassador Leishman in America, most of which is supposed to be carried in the Union Trust company of Pittsburgh.

The French attorney claims that the Pittsburgh millionaire has not yet paid him in full for services rendered preliminary to securing a titled husband for his daughter, Martha, who for the past three years has been Countess De Gontaut-Biron of Paris.

Ambassador Leishman has paid him in part, the French attorney admits, but there is yet \$50,000 coming to him, he says, and falling to collect it in either Italy or Paris, he has invaded America. He sets forth that he went to great trouble in making a settlement of portion of the Pittsburgh fortune on the French count before the latter married the Pittsburgh beauty and that he wants his pay.

Maitre Rodington sets forth boldly that the Leishman-Biron marriage was in no way different from the general rule of continental marriages in which marriage settlements play an indispensable preliminary part.

He sets forth that Mr. Leishman employed him to represent him in making all financial arrangements with the count and that he did his duty not only in securing for the Pittsburgh heiress a titled husband but secured for the count a good price for giving his titled name to the Pittsburgh girl.

The banking institution has accepted the service and it is announced that before Mr. Leishman can use one cent of his presumably large balance here he must furnish a bond of \$50,000 to settle the claim of the French attorney should the case go against the rich father-in-law. The case is expected to develop some new insight in foreign marriage arrangements by rich families of Pittsburgh.

There was no address given to which Mrs. Warren might send a reply. Instead, she was told that lawyers representing Warren would communicate with her attorneys, and that if a decision was favorable the children would be returned. Warren also made the situation that he would come with the children. He expressed penitence for what had happened and declared that if again acknowledged as her husband he would prove himself worthy.

Mrs. Warren is undecided as to her course. It was stated by one close to the family that if the children can be found she will endeavor to effect their recapture. With this end in view a detective is now waging a search in Providence. If after several days, his search proves unavailing, Mrs. Warren will, it is said, agree to a reconciliation for the sake of her children.

Such a course would mean the dropping of her divorce proceedings scheduled to be heard next week.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

Today at the Opera House, afternoon and evening, will be the last performances given of the current bill, which is the best yet seen under the present policy. Tomorrow afternoon and evening a concert will be given with William, Harry and Kate Jackson, presenting variety's spectacular novelty, "Cupid's Voyage." Combining the fascinations of a sparkling comedy and a grand scenic sketch, it is a big drawing number everywhere, and Hathaway-goers are congratulated upon the opportunity of enjoying it. The heroine of the sketch is Laura Radway, a dashing widow, who to escape the proposals of Col. U. S. Cackle, a most persistent lover, takes passage on a sailing ship, only to find Cackle on the trail. A shipwreck scene is introduced, with Cackle in the lifeboat, and the widow hanging on to the stern. Will you marry me? asks Cackle, and the widow faintly consents and is hauled to safety. Kate Jackson is simply splendid as the widow, possessing a vein of humor that enables her to make the most of her role. The stage work is excellent and the singing of the Myrtle, with the Princess Victoria, is given to the results of the two plots, is cleverly carried out. An extra baggage car is required for the transportation of the special scenery and electrical effects used in the act, which is one of the most pretentious of its kind ever offered in vaudeville. Miriam and Lawrence are agreeably miscast in the "Piano Store" offered by Linton and Lawrence. Both people are clever comedians, and their piano playing and other musical efforts are first-class. Henry Horton & Co. are a jolly coterie of comedians, who entertain with a bright rural sketch. Mr. Horton holds high rank as a portrayer of rural types, having lately been the star of "The Village Postmaster," "Eden Holden" and "Sons of the Sea." In the presentation of the laughable ar-

THE PRESIDENT WANTS CONSTITUTIONALITY OF ACT TESTED

WASHINGTON, March 12.—President Taft has directed Attorney General Wickham to prepare a joint resolution to be presented to congress to bring to an issue the question of the constitutionality of the act of 1846 whereby a portion of the District of Columbia was given to Virginia. Should congress show by the adoption of the resolution that it desires the Virginia territory brought back into the district the president will institute suit to determine whether the act was constitutional. Fort Meyer, Arlington and Alexandria lie within the territory that was formerly embraced within the district.

Ocean Travel

As the Annual Spring and Summer Passenger Business is well under way, we wish to remind European Travelers that we are now prepared to receive bookings on the Cunard, White Star, Allan and all first-class lines between Boston, New York, Queenstown, Liverpool, Glasgow, London and all points on the continent.

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NEW YORK MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
Am Car & Pn	65 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
Am Cot Oil	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
Am Locomo	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
Am Loco pf	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Am Smelt & R	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Am Smelt & R pf	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
Anacosta	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Atchafalpa	117 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2
Balt & Ohio	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2
Br Rap Tran	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
Canadian Pa	180 1/2	179 1/2	180 1/2
Cast I Pipe	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Cont Leather	43 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Ches & Ohio	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
C C & St L	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
Chf & Gt W	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Consol Gas	147 1/2	147 1/2	147 1/2
Del & Hud	176 1/2	176 1/2	176 1/2
Den & R G	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Den & R G pf	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
Dis Secur Co	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
East St	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Eric 1st pf	51 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Gt North pf	137 1/2	137 1/2	137 1/2
Gt Ore pf	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
Int Met Con	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Int Met pf	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
Int Paper pf	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
In Ship Co	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Kan & Tex	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Louis & Nash	153 1/2	153 1/2	153 1/2
Nash & Cent	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Nat Lead	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
N Y Central	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Nor & West	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
North Pac	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Ort & West	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Pennsylvania	137 1/2	137 1/2	137 1/2
Pittsburg	137 1/2	137 1/2	137 1/2
Pullman Co	196 1/2	196 1/2	196 1/2
Reading	169 1/2	168 1/2	168 1/2
Rep Iron & S	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Rock Is pf	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
St Paul	147 1/2	147 1/2	147 1/2
So Pacific	129 1/2	129 1/2	129 1/2
Southern Ry	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Third Ave	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Union Pacific	189 1/2	189 1/2	189 1/2
U S Rub	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
U S Steel	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2
U S Steel pf	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
U S Steel pf	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
Utah Copper	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
Wabash R R	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Wabash R pf	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Western Union	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
Wilson Con	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2

MARKET DULL

AT THE CLOSING HOUR THIS NOON

Trading Held in Restraint by Uncertainty of the Money Outlook—A Strong Advance in American Tobacco.

NEW YORK, March 12.—The light opening demand for stocks resulted in a sluggish recovery from the weakness of the closing yesterday. The advance in American tobacco was to a point and in Louisville & Nashville Rock Island pf., Cleveland C. C. & St. Louis and B. R. T. large fractions.

Some of the actual stock fluctuated very irregularly, Reading and Amalgamated Copper covering a range of about \$4.17 and unsettling the general market until near 11 o'clock, when all of the leaders moved up briskly. The market closed irregular and dull. Trading was held in restraint by the growing uncertainty of the money outlook. A strong advance in American Tobacco was to a point and in Louisville & Nashville Rock Island pf., Cleveland C. C. & St. Louis and B. R. T. large fractions.

The Money Market

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The statement follows:

Loans, increase \$3,155,200.
Deposits, decrease \$2,750,700.
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Legal tenders, decrease \$1,769,900.
Specie, decrease \$3,715,100.
Surplus, reserve \$10,069,075, decrease \$4,399,075.
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COTTON FUTURES

Month	Opening	Closing
March	14.90	14.90
April	14.85	14.85
May	14.80	14.80
June	14.75	14.75
July	14.70	14.70
August	14.65	14.65
September	14.60	14.60
October	14.55	14.55
November	14.50	14.50
December	14.45	14.45
January	14.40	14.40

SPOT COTTON

NEW YORK, March 12.—Spot cotton closed firm. Mid Up 15.10; Mid Gulf 15.25. Sales 7347 bales.

Little success, "Uncle Lem's Dilemma," from the pen of Edward Locke, he is assisted by Mike Linn, Haidenburgh & Co. The entertaining qualities of the playlet and the spirit with which it is played more than make good its title of "The Old Homestead of the Varlelles." The Three Varlelles, in the guise of strolling minstrels, render a delightful program of songs and instrumental music. Granville & Rogers, "The Two Old Fellows," are a talking team of agreeable eccentricity, and an expounder of laughable oddities they are unexcelled. Galloway, the brilliant cartoonist, will present his new and original cartoon on the stage, a stage setting representing an artist's studio, and executes his drawings on a little disk, the pictures being enlarged for the audience's entertainment by being thrown upon a large screen. Galloway's ability with the crayon is as convincing as his pictures in Puck, Judge and other magazines are known all over the country. Van Haven, comedy magician, and the Hitherscope close the bill.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Fritz's Performing Dogs are drawing great crowds at the Academy. Do not fail to bring the children to see these clever animals. The Great Pups still satisfies the grown people with his cleverness in handling hypnotic subjects, and there are new moving pictures. Next Monday, Danny Simmons will be with us, that is enough. Dan McCaffrey will also return with a budget of new songs. There will be a concert on Sunday. Admission 5 and 10 cents.

CITY SOLICITOR

SAY THAT NASHUA CAN CONSTRUCT NEW BRIDGE

NASHUA, N. H., March 12.—After searching the law and precedents governing the case, City Solicitor Stephen L. Hallinan last night handed to City Engineer E. O. Hathaway, as clerk of the board of public works, the opinion that was requested of him Thursday night.

According to Hallinan, the board has the exclusive right to proceed regardless of Hudson's action. He also adds that it is the duty of Nashua to do this if the bridge is unsafe. As a precautionary step, he suggests that the board notify the towns of Hudson and other towns and the Boston & Northern Street Railway company of its action, as all of these may be called upon to bear a portion of the expense.

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THE IRISH LEAGUE GEORGE BURTON

The Treasurer's Report Has Sued Belmont and Shonts

NEW YORK, March 12.—George D. Burton of New Ipswich, N. H., filed in the United States circuit court a summons and declaration in a suit against August Belmont and Theodore F. Shonts, as directors of the New York City Railway company, in which he seeks \$504,000 damages.

Burton, who says he is the holder of a patent dated Dec. 21, 1895, for certain useful improvements in electric trolley and railway railroads, asserts that the Metropolitan Street Railway company, by installing the improvements in 1902 on lines leased later to the New York City Railway company, infringed his rights in the invention. He says that because of the insolvency of the New York City Railway company a judgment for damages against that company would be ineffectual and unenforceable, and for that reason has brought the suit against Messrs. Belmont and Shonts directors.

National Treasurer Fitzpatrick of the United Irish league recently gave out a statement of the money received and sent to Ireland since October 1, 1908. Part of his report is as follows:

Pennsylvania:

Philadelphia \$15,800.00
Pittsburg 1,121.00
St. Bethlehem 300.00
Total \$17,221.00

Massachusetts:

Boston \$14,734.86
Fall River 955.00
Lowell 1,125.00
Clinton 650.00
Haverhill 461.59
Others sent direct to treasurer 2,253.02
Total \$20,159.78

New York:

Brooklyn \$ 550.00
New York 12,378.95
Corliss 200.00
Syracuse 2,110.13
Buffalo 2,000.00
Total \$17,269.03

MORGAN IS BUSY

Financier Adds to His Art Treasures

ROME, March 12.—There was hardly a minute of rest yesterday for J. Pierpont Morgan, the American financier. Viewing works of art of the masters, taking care of a large amount of accumulated correspondence and receiving visitors were embraced in the program of the morning and afternoon, and last evening he dined with the Princess Teano and afterwards remained for a reception held in his honor. Mr. Morgan is in excellent health.

FAMILY IN NEED

On our classified ad page under the head of "Situations Vacant" was found an advertisement of a worthy woman, who has three young children and a husband who is ill. This woman is in needy circumstances. She is anxious to obtain work of some kind. She would not be pleased to receive clothing or other assistance. Her name and address can be obtained by calling at The Sun office.

SONDER YACHTS

TO TAKE PART IN RACES IN GERMANY

BOSTON, March 12.—An American sonder yacht team of three boats will be sent to Germany in June, 1911, for the second international race for these yachts in German waters and the fourth of the series between the two countries.

The announcement was made here today by the Eastern Yacht club which has charge of the arrangements and which has accepted the invitation of the Kaiserlicher Yacht club of Kiel.

As the Eastern Yacht club has undertaken a team of Spanish sonder yachts at Marblehead in September with trial races for that series in August and as the trial races for the German team will be held in October, plenty of sport is anticipated for the owners of these little yachts during the next year and a half.

New York, Philadelphia and Boston yachtsmen have already signified their intention of participating in both trial race series and large fleets are anticipated for these events.

When the last match was sailed in Germany the Americans were unable to reach the other side before July and comparatively few German yachtsmen saw the races.

The Americans will be in Kiel in June this year during the famous race week, and it has been agreed that trials in October will be sufficient to select a team.

Among the yachtsmen who will be in the trial races for the German team are William H. Childs of New York, owner of the Josette, which won the Tatt cup last year; George C. Thomas of Philadelphia; Robert W. Emmons, 2nd; J. Lewis Stackpole of Boston, and Commander P. Lewis Clark of the Eastern Yacht club and a resident of Spokane.

The Spanish races will be held the first week in October and the visitors will represent the Royal Yacht clubs of San Sebastian, San Sebastian and Bilbao. The king of Spain is the promoter of the Spanish side for this match.

The trials for the Spanish match will be held about the middle of August, and twenty yachts are expected to enter.

The Eastern Yacht club has issued invitations to all American yachtsmen to enter these trial races. The rules are the same as have obtained for the past two years and no yacht can cost over \$2400.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Annie T. Coffey announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Anna T. Coffey, to Mr. Frederick Francis Purley of Brookline.

Joseph M. Donoghue, of Hazletine street, who is holding an important clerical position in the census department, Washington, D. C., attained the highest rank in Massachusetts as a result of the federal civil service examination held some months ago. His rank is said to be probably the highest ever attained by anyone in similar examination, which was from all accounts a most exacting test.

Rev. Sister St. Albert of the French American orphanage has gone to Swansea, where her father, Jean-Baptiste Mercier, died Tuesday at the age of 82 years. The funeral took place Thursday.

Mr. Mercier had been married twice and was the father of 23 children. He was a successful merchant at St. Joseph-de-le-Fort before coming to the United States to live with some of his children established here, and was also for 33 consecutive years revenue collector in his country, where he held the position of chief clerk of the treasury department. Another daughter of Mr. Mercier is also a sister of charity, Rev. Sister St. Amable of the Cap-Rouge, Que.

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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

WHERE TAXES SHOULD BE HEAVY.

The high tariff and the subject of taxation are causing much discussion throughout the country.

While a vast majority of the people are poor and find it difficult to make both ends meet, there are men at the head of great monopolies, such as John D. Rockefeller, the coal barons, the trust magnates and many others, whose wealth is so vast that they find difficulty in spending it. They have had for years an income as a result of natural resources of this country and from which the government should derive an income. Coal lands and mines have been given away or sold outright while the same is true of oil lands and those containing the most precious mineral wealth.

By buying up such lands the speculators and railroads have secured a monopoly of the fuel supply, the gold output and other mineral treasures, while Rockefeller has bought up all the oil wells he could find, thus creating a monopoly of the oil supply.

It is not thus that other countries allow mineral treasures to be usurped. Even our next door neighbor, Canada, has a different and, from the popular standpoint, a more equitable method of disposing of mineral wealth. The law in force at present relative to coal lands of which there is not a great deal in Canada, permits the leasing of such lands for twenty-one years at an annual rental of a dollar an acre, provided that not more than 2560 acres can be leased to one applicant. The royalty to be paid under this arrangement is five cents for every ton of coal. Even this arrangement would bring a reasonable return to the government of the United States on the output of the coal mines. But we have no such arrangement and the lands are private property, so that they cannot be reached except by taxation.

What we want in this country is a tax on mineral wealth and monopolies whether in land or anything else, in order to prevent the dangerous accumulation of wealth that defies even the government. Were taxes imposed thus there would be no need of the oppressive tariff that keeps the prices of the necessities of life at such an exorbitant figure.

Were such an arrangement in force we should not see such princes of wealth as Carnegie and Rockefeller with more money than they know how to dispose of.

Unless there be some method adopted to prevent the accumulation of vast wealth in the hands of the few and the impoverishment of the masses, there will certainly be trouble and disturbance, whether it be of the industrial kind or something different. The causes at the bottom of all the present trouble are the excessive tariff, the monopoly in mining lands, the trusting of railroads and other lines of business to the exclusion of competition and the suppression of independent enterprises.

THE PUBLIC HALL SITES.

Mayor Meehan has expressed himself in favor of locating the hall near the centre of transportation. That is a very important consideration in the selection of a site, important to the public at large as being equally convenient to the people of every part of the city.

A public hall so situated will be worth more to the city than one located at some distance from the centre of transportation. It is important to have a public hall that can be reached from all the outlying districts of the city without a change of cars. This would save both time and trouble. It would make the hall more popular and more profitable, for when any public meeting or entertainment is advertised in a hall near the central transfer station, it will be more largely attended than if in a hall more remote.

It is a very trifling thing that sometimes makes all the difference between success and failure. In a store, let it be the best in Lowell, if it has one or two steps up to the door the people will not bother going into it while they can find one nearly as good that has an entrance on a level with the sidewalk. This fact is so potent to storekeepers throughout the city that most of them would rather go to the expense of making a level entrance than bear the disadvantage of even one step up to the door.

When such trifles sway the action of men and women, we get an idea of how important it is to study the demands of public convenience and necessity.

In this matter of a site for a public hall the main governing idea to guide the city council should be to provide for the greatest good of the greatest number. That can be done only by locating the public hall so close to the centre of transportation that except in stormy weather no change of cars will be needed in getting the desired car at Merrimack square. That would mean a saving of from ten to thirty minutes at least for everybody using the electric cars, as it requires this length of time to change cars where they run on fifteen, twenty and thirty minute schedules. Then, too, the largest crowd can be accommodated at the square, whereas at any point where there is no loop track there will be delay. At the old Huntington hall, as everybody knows, there was seldom a sufficient number of cars to take off the crowd and the result was a firestorm wait.

Now the same condition will prevail if the hall is located at any considerable distance from the centre of transportation so as to necessitate the trouble and delay of changing cars at the square.

The site that is near the transfer centre, and that can be easily looped with special cars destined for the outlying districts, has so many advantages in point of centrality, convenience and general eligibility that these points should weigh very heavily with the commission of selection. The assessed values of the lots offered thus far do not differ very much. They are as follows:

- Site northeast corner John and Paige streets, \$53,700.
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 - Moody street lot, next York chub (municipal centre) \$31,550.
 - Washington Tavern lot, corner Central and Church streets, \$40,950.
- In the construction of a hall to meet the needs of the city present and future, it is better to pay a little more for an ideal site than take an objectionable one at a low figure.
- The people long ago voted in favor of a public hall; they want it and the work of supplying this need should not be further postponed. We have been haggling over this matter long enough. Go in and settle it in a business-like manner with one aim in view, and that as we have said—the greatest good of the greatest number.

SEEN AND HEARD

"Doctor, there is something the matter with my right ear. There is something tickling inside of it and I cannot sleep," said J. M. Cootner, as he presented himself at the office of Bellevue hospital in New York.

"It sounds like a telephone operator sending a message and I hear it all the time," said Cootner.

Dr. Cootner placed an instrument in the ear which enabled him to see the eardrum and there in the very centre he made out a small insect that appeared to be tapping on the drum with one foot.

The doctor flushed the ear and the "telephone operator" floated out. "It is a very rare bug," said the doctor.

"What is it called?" asked a reporter of the doctor last night.

"Well, you might call it a 'telephone bug,'" he replied.

Only two months after Chloe's marriage she reappeared in the kitchen and asked for her old place.

"What has happened to your husband?" asked her former employer.

"My husband has died," said Willyum.

"Isn't he willing to support you?"

"Oh, yes, he's willing to support me, all right."

"Have you quarreled with him, then?"

"No, we ain't quarreled none."

"Is he sick?"

"No, he ain't sick."

"What is the matter? Has he left you?"

"No, ma'am, he ain't left me. I'm leavin' him."

"Well, what are you doing it for?"

"Chloe, please, searching for the right phrase. 'Well, I tell you, Miss Franklin, it seems lak I dun sot of lost my taste for Willyum.'"

John D. Rockefeller expects a gaudy pair of wings, he says. St. Peter at the Big Gate New Bedford Times.

John may not pass. You know how hard the bible says it is for the rich man to enter the kingdom of heaven.

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How welcome is he when he steps in the sanctum.

How he makes "our eye" dance!

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A. May Robinson in the National Magazine.

We all have ideals. We look forward to some day stepping out and up to better our conditions; to advance our business by some new thought, system or discovery. An ambition truly admirable this when honesty of purpose guides in the development; but sadly true it is that selfishness cuts in, slowly at first, but to grow until it overpowers honesty of purpose, becomes domination for gain, and the beauty of it all is swept aside by the desire for wealth that will make ease and luxuries possible. Then indeed is there danger, for the temptation is great. Ambition is a sin when the

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Speed the day when all men will have high ideals.

Have you a joy? Then share it! Have you a sorrow? Bear it! Scatter your generous hand. Largeness throughout the land. Give of your brightest and best—Then shall your own life be blest. This be the rule of your living: Not of the getting—but giving!

—Betty Brown.

"Father," asked the small boy of an editor, "is Jupiter inhabited?"

"I don't know, my son," was the truthful answer.

Presently he was interrupted again.

"Father, are there any sea serpents?"

"I don't know, my son."

The little fellow was manifestly cast down, but presently rallied and again approached the great source of information.

"Father, what does the North pole look like?"

But, alas! again the answer, "I don't know, my son."

Lost in desperation, he inquired, with a sighing emphasis, "Father, how did you get to be an editor?"

A teacher in one of our elementary schools had noticed a striking platonic friendship that existed between Tommy and little Mary, two of her pupils.

"Tommy was a bright enough youngster, but he wasn't disposed to prosecute his studies with much energy, and his teacher saw that unless he stirred him before the end of the year he wouldn't be promoted."

"You must study harder," she told him, "or else you won't pass. How would you like to stay back in this class another year and have little Mary go ahead of you?"

"Aw," said Tommy, "I guess there'll be other little Marys."

Standing with his back to the bank he anxiously awaited the coming of the fair one who promised to meet him at 7:30 and it was already 8 o'clock.

"You're terribly late. I had an awful long wait," he said, and his voice betrayed his wounded feelings.

"Don't you care," said the fair one, flippantly, "think of the backing you had."

Having read that German sausage are composed of horse meat, bob veal and things too horrible to mention, you would want to think ahead and find that the piece de resistance on the bill of fare is the imported German sausage at 40 cents per copy. Wouldn't that jar you?

The patois of the typical East. Sider is something of a mystery to the uninitiated. Even those who come in daily contact with them are sometimes at a loss to quite grasp the meaning of the attempted English pronunciation.

Myra Kelly, whose magazine story, "The Girl Who Went to the Sun," tells a yarn which humorously illustrates the point. A friend of Miss Kelly's, who is interested in settlement work, met Moskowitz one day, and Moskowitz seemed very woe-begone.

"What's the matter?" asked the settlement worker.

"I don't know," replied Moskowitz.

"Cheer up, my friend," said the settlement worker.

"I got cold in de troll."

"In Detroit?" exclaimed the settlement worker. "I didn't know you had been west. When were you in Detroit?"

"Not in Detroit—in de troll!" earnestly explained Moskowitz, vociferously jabbing his finger into his Adam's apple.—New York Times.

"Life," said the pessimist, "is a dreary road. I don't know what happiness is."

"Life is all right," rejoined the optimistic man, "if you only look upon the bright side of it."

"But my life has no bright side," protested the other.

"Then," said the optimist, "get busy and polish up one of the dark sides." —Chicago News.

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PEOPLE OF NOTE

Prof. John Braashear, who represents Andrew Carnegie in many things, has rented a suite of offices where he and representatives of the bridge interests met at Syracuse and resolved to meet at Albany no longer. Upon their refusal to hand over the sum, the bill which for five years they had been buying off was passed. It is suspected that other men now at Albany may become entangled.

Through all the tempest, which appears to have scuttled the dominant organization, Governor Hughes has been the conspicuously calm, republican in confusion, their opposition to many of his measures now stands here, of candor or sincerity. On Feb. 15, he ordered an independent investigation to be made of the affairs of the forest, fish, and game commission, and the purchase of forest lands. This inquiry promises to have a deeper and a wider reach than the present trial, and it doesn't appear that Albany has any close relation to the other, however, is close, for the name of Senator Aldrich is alleged to be connected with those acts which have given rise to the investigation.—Municipal Journal.

ON PLATISM

Even in New York state, where it might be supposed that political reform or regeneration would be regarded with considerable suspicion, there seems to be a disposition to assume that a boss of the Platt stripe and politics of the Platt order will never again be possible. Thus one observer of experience remarks that the people of that commonwealth are entitled to look back upon the career of the late Governor Thomas C. Platt as something of a shudder at, but with a sense of relief at having forever escaped from it.

But there is no guarantee, surely, that what Platt did nobody else will be able to do. Because Platt is no more it doesn't follow that Platism is dead. After his Tweed New York and its Crokers. It has been explained that Platt carried the commercialism of politics to a degree of perfection—or iniquity—unknown before his time; that he was the first chairman of a state committee in New York to perceive how ruinous that position could be used for his own benefit. He had the running of campaigns and the disbursing of funds and he made the most of his opportunities to work evil. All this may mean, of course, that Platt has simply blazed the way for political maneuvering that may prove to be even more objectionable than any in which he indulged and by which he profited. Politicians have undergone no great change since he lost his influence and the fact that despite many grievous mistakes and repeated attacks upon him he has not only survived but has been able to retain his position and direct attention to the danger that must be combated if cleaner standards are set up.

And what is true of New York in this respect is true of most states. Whether Platism is dead or not, it forever depends entirely upon the vigilance of voters and the attitude of individuals where personal sacrifice is demanded. It may be doubted if at any period in his career popular sentiment among republicans was with Platt; his methods have never been approved by a majority of his own party. Yet the difference of the public gave him the openings he sought and kept him in control. It would be very convenient, certainly, to believe that Thomas C. Platt will have no successor anywhere; that the Platism he has fostered will be a thing of the past. But the Platism which occupied him, and unfortunately, political history warrants no such assumption. Developments in the near future may make it clear that Platism is neither dead or sleeping.—Providence Tribune.

Rev. Arpiar A. Vartanian, who has been pastor of the Armenian Congregational church in Providence for five and one-half years, will accept a call from the First Armenian Congregational church at Fresno, Cal.

Rev. Christie W. Burnham has ended a pastorate of nine years and three months at the Northwood (R. I.) Baptist church and is retiring from active service, completing forty-seven years as a minister, having served fourteen years in New Hampshire, six in Michigan, and twenty-seven years in Rhode Island.

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But all sorts and conditions of femininity are going to array themselves in these new coats, so there is no use in sighing for what is not, and doubtless before the season is well under way we shall be quite won over to the attractions of the latest cry. On strictly tailored suits military fastenings of frogs and cords are the smartest trimmings for coats that cut away in a bias fashion in front. For instance, a natty black and white checked suit made with a box plaited skirt has a semisitting hip length coat cut rather high in the neck, which is finished with a round collar of white cloth braided in dull gold. Black silk frogs placed at an angle of forty-five degrees are the fastenings used.

Another cloth suit seen at an exclusive establishment was of pin striped sapphire blue suiting made in the same style as the shepherd's check save for the coat collar, which was of the shawl variety in corded black silk and sparsely braided with a narrow dull gold soutache.

These invisible striped materials are to be very fashionable this spring, and there is a new star design in cloth for tailor-mades that is one of the latest fabrics in the shops. The star figure is visible only in certain lights. Oatmeal cloth, hopsacking and canvas weaves are all prominently to the fore, sporting themselves in charming two toned effects. Blue with green and brown mingled with sage green are some of the favored combinations. So insistent is this changeable effect that even in ribbons and feathers for hats one sees the same coloring.

To be convinced that the waist line has established itself in spring fashions one has only to examine the varied and beautiful collection of belts sent over from Paris. For several seasons all garments have been belted, and now belts have appeared everywhere and on everything that has a waist line. Oh coats the belts are of the material or of patent or saddle leather, and by far the most becoming way to dispose of them on jackets is to lift the waist line without destroying the curve. This is easily accomplished by the strips through which the belt is run. Rather newer, but less flattering to the figure, is the Buster Brown adjustment. The belt in this instance goes through strips of material placed well down toward the point of the hips and is loosely fastened in front. There is nothing simple or inconspicuous about the belts used on house gowns. They are barbaric in design and gorgeous in their subdued colorings. Metal nets elaborately embroidered in gold and silver, in crystals and beads, taking the form of Egyptian characters and symbols, are fashionable. The

most expensive belts and therefore the most sought after are made of linked metal set with semiprecious stones finished with massive buckles. It is possible, though, to imitate this effect in heavy metal meshed braids, and really, the substitute is even better than the original, as it fits the figure

COSTUME FOR SUMMER SKIES



While serge costumes are going to be quite as popular this season as they were last summer. The smart model illustrated is of this material, with facings of pale yellow velvet touched up by cords of black soutache.

with more grace. A pretty finish for the braid belt is a velvet or satin rose when the character of the frock will admit of anything so ornate.

Each season there is a costume that dates it—in other words, a frock that is the rage and dies a natural death through too much popularity. Last spring the moyen age frock was first and foremost in favor, several years ago we were all wearing the jumper gown, and now this spring it's the tunic dress. The name is a trifle confusing, for the style bears a closer resemblance to either a jumper or a polonaise.

The tunic costumes seen have been of lingerie and chiffon—a lingerie frock with the tunic portion of chiffon edged with bands of silk or satin. Such a dress offers a splendid opportunity for using one's passe lingerie frock and bringing it right up to date. It is possible, of course, to use a heavier material for the tunic in place of the chiffon, but the idea at present seems to be to veil rather than to hide the underdress.

There is nothing very new in skirt waists and blouses except the front closing, which no longer is affected by a box plait, but by a single closing adorned with a frill of some kind. When the material is heavy enough a buttonholed scalloped edge is used, which scallop is employed also at the

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THE WOMAN WHO STAYS TOO LONG.

HAVE you ever had a visitor who apparently finds it impossible to say goodby?

Some persons have an unhappy knack of outstaying their welcome. You ask one of these to luncheon, perhaps, and you put on your prettiest frock to welcome her and plan the nicest meal you can for her enjoyment.

And at first everything goes well; you have lots to talk about and feel pleased with your friend and yourself.

But, alas, she stays too long—until your subjects or conversation are exhausted. There she sits, oblivious of the fact that you probably have another engagement for the afternoon which you would like to keep.

Sometimes she stays all afternoon.

she is still with you at supper or dinner time.

At last, when it is nearly time for your evening meal, she rises to go. But even then she keeps you standing for ten minutes or so while she makes her final farewells.

Even before she has got so far as the door she will return, quite likely, to say something she has "forgotten."

When at last the door is closed and she is really gone you heave a fervent sigh of relief and determine not to ask her again for a very long time. If she had stayed only a reasonable time you still would have been thinking her charming.

There have been cases when a woman invited to stay a few days with a friend has remained until her visit developed into an "awful visitation."

The visitor forgets that to a host and hostess who are not rich the expense of entertaining a guest for an indefinite time is often quite a serious matter. Probably the house or apartment of the hostess is small and there is only one maid, and to have a visitor staying in the house means that the mistress has to do a great deal of the extra work herself.

With a serene indifference in her own charm and welcome the staying guest prolongs her visit and wonders later why she gets no more invitations to visit that particular house.

If you would be a social success, or, better still, if you really want to be liked, never weary your friends. It is far better for them to complain that they never see you than for them to tell others that they can't keep you out of the house.

THE FAMILY LUCK AT CARDS

CARD luck seems to run in some families. Sometimes all the prizes at a party are carried off by different members of the same family. Such people, too, generally make the most of their luck. They may say in a deprecating way, as each receives the article won: "My dear Mrs. Blank, it is too bad to have this family always win. I really hate to take it for I've won so many things." But every invitation is accepted none the less, every game is played for dear life, and every one of them will be quite peevish

when cards run badly and opponents are successful. If just once in a while the most zealous minded person of the family would go to the hostess and say, "If I should win the prize please count me out and give it to the one who gets the next highest score," the stigma which the title of "bug hunter" implies would be removed, and the prizes won would be better worth having for the careful hostess knows the "snatchers" ways, and the article given as second prize is often far handsomer than the one labeled "first."

DEVELOPMENT of the JUMPER DRESS



This frock is a near relative of our old friend the jumper dress. The new development shows a novel type of skirt allied to a culcrass bodice and a corded silk voile blouse.

A Lesson In Soupmaking

MANY housekeepers are fond of boasting that they can make "good soup out of nothing." What they really mean is that from well managed larders they generally can find sufficient leftover materials to keep the stock pot going without making fresh purchases for it. Every housewife ought to be able to do this, for all bones, rough pieces of cooked and raw meat, remains of gravies, etc., should be utilized in this way. The water in which salt or fresh meat or vegetables have been boiled, excepting water in which greens have been cooked, makes fine foundation for soup.

The cook's aim in soupmaking is to draw into the water all the juices and nutriment from the materials used. In order to do this it is necessary to bear the following rules in mind:

First—Cut the meat into small pieces, as the more of their surface there is exposed to the action of the water the more easily and completely will the juices be drawn out.

Second—Put meat and bones into cold water, as hot would harden the outside albumen and keep in the juices.

Third—Boil the soup gently and keep the lid on the pan; otherwise it will waste. But soups made chiefly from bones must be allowed to boil more quickly than others, in order to extract their nutriment.

To start a stock pot put a clean,

empty pot made expressly for this use, or, failing that, a large saucepan, on the stove. Put into it a quart of cold water or liquid from cold meat or vegetable stock. Add a teaspoonful of salt and any cooked or raw bits of meat, bone, poultry, vegetables or drops of gravy you may have. About a pound of solid material should be prepared if possible. Put on the lid of the pot and simmer the contents for at least five hours. After each meal collect and add any other suitable bits that may be left.

Every night strain the liquid stock into a basin, seal out the stock pot and leave it uncovered until the next day. Save and rinse the solid matter if it seems likely that any goodness is left. Next day remove the fat from the surface of the stock, pour back the liquid into the clean pot and either add the meat, etc., strained off the day before, as well as any fresh bits you may have, or add only the latter.

When liquid is needed for soups, gravies, sauces, etc., draw it off from the stock pot. Add more water as it is needed, according to the amount drawn off and quality of available scraps.

rice, potatoes, bread, green vegetables, fish or high game is unsuitable for adding to the stock, and if it is to be used for clear soups or glaze thickened sauces should not be added either, as flour will cause it to be cloudy.

The Use and Abuse of Powder

A FEW hints on the use of powder and other little innocent aids to the toilet will be welcomed by girls who like to feel that they are looking their best, and often the effect of a smart evening costume is completely ruined by the contrast between a white neck and shoulders and a muddy, sallow looking complexion. There may be some persons who will disagree with me, but I am firmly convinced that the judicious use of powder and even of a very little rouge (provided it cannot be detected) is quite within the limit of good taste for dances and other evening entertainments. The use of powder is absolutely indispensable to some women, and undoubtedly it is beneficial to the skin when any length of time is to be spent in an artificially heated atmosphere.

Now, although I am not an advocate of the use of powder, I am strongly opposed to its abuse and consider nothing more repulsive looking than an apparently painted face, giving one the impression of having been made up for the footlights.

Powder should be applied to the face and neck immediately after washing, as soon as the skin has been dried. It should be left on for a few minutes and then carefully dusted off with a wool puff, a hare's foot or a pad of chamois leather, and by this means the skin will derive all the benefits of the powder, and yet the use of the latter will not be visible. An excellent powder for use on these occasions is one made of equal proportions of starch of pistachio nuts and finely powdered French chalk. This should be mixed together and scented to taste, a little powderedorris root being added if desired.

When the first dusting of powder has been applied and rubbed off as directed a few touches may be given to the face, which will considerably improve

the appearance. Should the eyes be very round they can be much improved by having the lids dusted with a little powder, but this should not be done except in the case of very round eyes, as it has a tendency to decrease their apparent size. Should the nose be too wide at the tip remove all traces of powder from the wings (nostrils) and give a little extra touch to the under portion. This will do much toward giving the nose a delicate appearance. The space between the eyebrows can be made narrower or wider, as required, by removing all traces of powder from it or by giving it an extra dust.

To darken the eyebrows brush them every night with a brush (a fine camel's hair one is best) dipped in castor oil. This will darken them, increase their growth and luxuriance, and their shape can be vastly improved if they are brushed each night in the direction in which they should grow. To some faces arched brows are very becoming, to other styles the straight poutie eyebrows are more suited, but in either case they should be trained in the way desired with a soft brush.

To recede the lips rub them gently with the finger dipped in a little cold cream, carefully wiping all traces of the cream off afterward.

The hair can be brightened before being dressed if a few drops of a good brillantine are well brushed into it, but if the hair is in a greasy state it should have a dry shampoo first to remove all superfluous grease and render it light and fluffy. If artificial waving is desired great care should be taken to see that the waving iron is not so hot as to singe the hair in any way. The use of waving irons is not to be recommended, as when continuously resorted to they dry the hair and darken it, but occasionally, if applied carefully, they will do no harm.

DAPHNE DEAN.

GOOD THINGS TO EAT

If a housewife does not know what to serve after the meat at her next luncheon or dinner party she should try a palatable salad made of large white cherries and broken nuts. This is arranged on small lettuce leaves and covered with mayonnaise dressing.

Another good salad is made of peeled pineapple with the center removed. Around each slice are thin slices of banana and maraschino cherries. This is mixed with French dressing or one that has wine in it. The latter is made by mixing six tablespoonfuls of sherry, three of madeira and a half cup of sugar.

Oysters dipped in mayonnaise dressing and then in breadcrumbs and fried are delicious and a change from the regulation fried oyster.

APPLE PUDDING.

Line a porcelain baking dish with squares of day old bread dipped in melted butter, making a firm wall and bottom. Then fill the dish with chopped apples mixed with finely minced nut meats and raisins, seasoned with powdered cinnamon, powdered sugar and bits of lemon peel and lemon juice.

Cover the top of the dish with squares of buttered bread and bake, covered, for thirty minutes; then remove the covering, bake until the top

is a golden brown, turn out on a dish and serve in loaf shape, piping hot, with hard sauce.

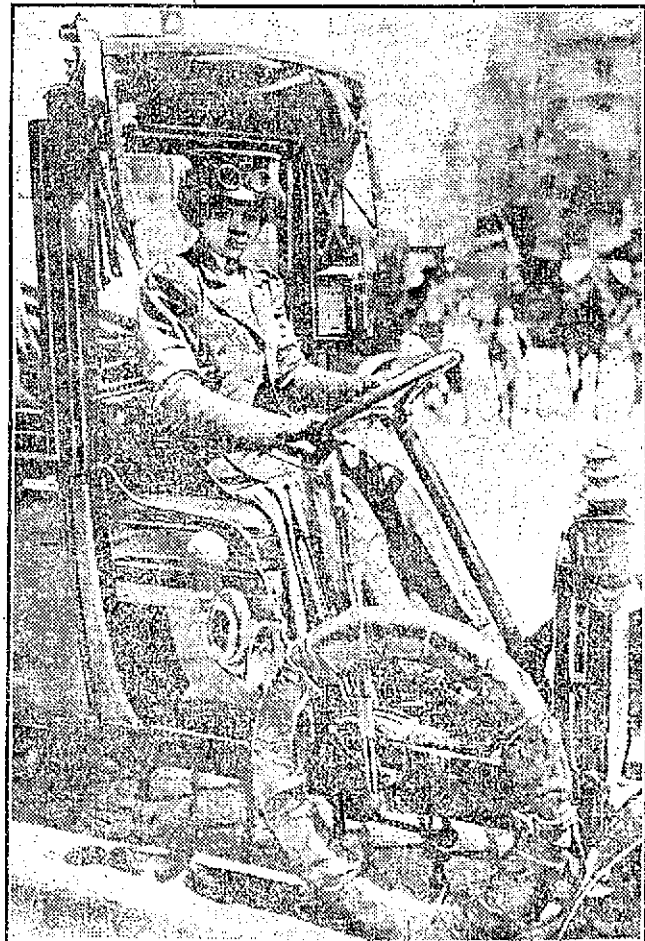
PUFF GEMS.

Beat two tablespoonfuls of butter to a cream and add little by little two-thirds of a cupful of sugar. Whip in the yolks of two eggs and beat until the batter is very light. Add a cupful and a half of flour that has been sifted with a teaspoonful of baking powder and half a cupful of milk. The flour and milk should be stirred in alternately, little by little. At last whip in stiffly beaten whites of the egg. Bake in gem pans. The quantity given is enough for a dozen. Serve with lemon sauce.

SAUCE FOR FISH.

To serve with fish or poultry this sauce is just the thing. Cream together a tablespoonful each of butter and flour and stir it into a cupful of chicken stock or hot water. When the sauce boils add the yolks of two eggs and a quarter of a cupful of cream which have been beaten together and season with salt and pepper. The latter part of the process should be done over hot water. If there is danger of lumps strain the sauce and reheat it before using. Care must be taken or it will curdle. For fish or chicken the sauce may be seasoned with minced parsley and chopped mushrooms.

SHE RUNS A TAXICAB IN PARIS



IN Paris a number of taxicabs are run by women. These chauffeurs at first met with considerable opposition by the male drivers, who considered them dangerous competitors and threw all kinds of obstacles in their way, even abusing them when they thought it safe. The chauffaunee, however, has conquered and is now a regular institution. A new sensation was furnished recently when a colored woman appeared on the boulevards driving a taxicab. She soon became all the rage, and her cab was called eagerly by the inhabitants of all the streets, who used it in preference to all others. The dusky chauffaunee is never without a fare, and the gentlemen are entitled upon frequently to decide which one

of the waiting customers is entitled to a ride in her cab.

THE SPRING TURBAN.

The wrapped turban is about among the new spring hats. These startling looking chapaneux are made of a straight band of buckram or cape net to fit down over the head closely. There is no inside portion, except a fitted bandeau if the head is very small. They are worn low down on the right side and tilted on the left.

TO RENEW PATENT LEATHER.

When patent leather shoes begin to look dull and lose their freshness a few drops of spirits of turpentine applied with a soft brush will brighten them up so they look almost like new.

CARE OF CLOCKS.

The household timekeeper needs regular care and superintendence if it is to keep time accurately. When not regulated weekly by a clockmaker, a responsible member of the household should be put in charge of it. A clock should be wound as far as possible at one stated time and be regulated at a fixed period; it should be kept locked if possible, so that mischievous persons may not play with it, and its face, hands, etc., should occasionally be carefully dusted. A periodical oiling may also be necessary, and for this purpose the best oil, purified by lime-water, should be used. Let this mixture stand for a day or two and then carefully pour off the oil without disturbing the sediment. The oil should be applied to the works with a fine camel's hair brush.

RING ON FOREFINGER.

The ultra fashion taken up by some women of wearing a ring on the forefinger is borrowed from Elizabethan days. When anything so conventional as a plain diamond, opal or sapphire is worn the effect is not convincing. If one will do this thing it should be done well and rightly.

The ring should be an antique, such as Mr. Chase, the portrait painter, collects, or it should be the copy of an antique. The stones need not be rare gems; they may be semiprecious, but they must be quaintly set.

The famous portrait of Queen Elizabeth, then princess, which hangs at Windsor shows a marvelous ring of this kind worn on the forefinger of this queen, who cared inordinately for the niceties and the splendor of dress.

WHAT THE CHINESE SAY ABOUT WOMEN.

The Chinese have many trite sayings about women, among which are the following:

Never trust a vain woman, for she is first in her own eyes.

Listen to the voice of an old woman, for sorrow hath given her wisdom.

Many women, like leaderless sheep, come together for talk.

Pearls come from the mouth of her who thinketh long before opening her lips.

TO WASH NEW FLANNELS.

It is an excellent plan before washing new flannels to lay them to soak for a quarter of an hour in cold water with a good handful of salt, then wash in the ordinary way. It makes the washing much easier and the articles look beautiful when dry. The same applies to new colored goods if they are allowed to stand in salt and water and rinsed in the same water. There is no chance of the color running, and it will dry like new.

Eleanor Robson Married to August Belmont

AFTER repeated denials from the lady herself, Miss Eleanor Robson, the beautiful and gifted actress, was recently married to Mr. August Belmont, the wealthy New York banker and turfman. Miss Robson recently abandoned the stage to prepare for her marriage to Mr. Belmont. Her farewell role was that of Glad in Mrs. Burnett's play, "The Dawn of a Tomorrow."

With the fall of the curtain the last night the cheerful ending of the performance was a sad one for the theater going public, for Miss Robson will be missed as few actresses ever have been. The last line spoken by Miss Robson in the final act of the play was peculiarly appropriate. Just before the curtain fell Glad (Miss Robson) says, "I'm going to be the luck of now." The actress let her voice linger softly over the words. They were her farewell to the stage.

Miss Robson is of English birth, but came to this country with her mother, Mrs. Robson, known on the stage as Madge Carr Cook, and was placed at school on Staten Island. Later she joined her mother in San Francisco, where the latter was a member of a stock company. Mrs. Cook was taken ill one night, and her daughter with but slight preparation took her place and made an instant success. Fame came to her when she created the part of Bonita Canby in "Arizona," and she has been a pronounced favorite ever since.

Miss Robson has earned a fair fortune in her stage career. She has a beautiful country home in England. In

New York she lived in West Seventy-seventh street, where the wedding was quietly celebrated.

Mr. Belmont, her senior by many years, has a fortune estimated at thirty or forty millions. He was a widower with three sons, one of whom married Miss Du Goussard. The two other boys



MISS ROBSON AS JULIET.

are at college. Mr. Belmont has a fine New York home, a stock farm in Kentucky and recently has purchased "By the Sea," a villa at Newport.

Needlework Notes

A NEW work is that of tucking not one dozen towels, and six of these might be done with hemstitching and the done with the finest of gold or silver thread. A little drawn work is added if the waist is to be one more elaborate; then would result simply from tucking. Some women waste their time featherstitching dainty garments with embroidery thread. This thread being soft when the garment is laundered, it is pressed into the material and loses its individuality. Twisted cotton which comes by the ball in various numbers and which is sometimes used for crocheting is the most satisfactory thread with which to do this work.

The careful housewife will find that she may have even an excess of towels at small expense if she will finish the ends herself instead of buying the fringed or bordered towels. Fourteen yards of damask toweling will make

FOR GORE HEELS. A fine piece of chamois leather sewed round the inside of the back of the shoe will prevent it from rubbing the heel. This plan will delay the appearance of holes in stockings.

MARINES BARRED CHANDLEY SHOT

Not Allowed to Enter Theatre

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Two United States marines in uniform were denied admission to a theatre last night. The man at the door prevented their entering and handed them back the money they had paid for their tickets. Explanations were demanded, but were not given. The marines demanded admission, but were denied. They were Corporal Edward Powell and Private Samuel Algaose of the U. S. S. Mayflower.

The refusal of admission to the marines was not the first of its kind which had occurred recently at the same theatre. A conference was held yesterday between the proprietor and officers of the navy department. The proprietor told the officers that he excluded the men under a rule of the theatre prohibiting admission of persons conspicuously dressed.

He said: "Even President Taft would be excluded if he applied for admission dressed in a sweater and riding clothes."

Patriotic societies have made an issue of the matter and further references are to be had. The possible action on the part of the excluded sailors.

CREW RESCUED

Officer and Five Men Picked Up

SEATTLE, Wash., March 12.—A special cable from Seward, Alaska, says that a wireless message received there from the United States revenue cutter Tahoma tells of the rescue of the boat crew that set out nine weeks ago to seek aid for the survivors of the wrecked steamer Farallon, which was wrecked in Hama bay on Cook's Inlet Jan. 2. Two days after the disaster Second Mate Gus Swanson and five men set out in an open boat to Kodiak for aid. February 2 the survivors who remained on the shore were rescued by the steamship Victoria. After the boat crew, which had been missing a month, had been rescued, the revenue cutter Tahoma was sent on a cruise around Kodiak Island. No details of the rescue have been received.

CORPORATIONS

To Pay a Tax of Over \$25,000,000

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Approximately 300 corporations amenable to the law imposing a tax of one per cent. of their net incomes above \$6000 have made returns to the internal revenue bureau. Additional returns are expected to swell the number which will be in keeping with the estimate made by the officials before the law became operative.

There are 409,000 corporations listed in the United States but a large number have for some time been generally regarded as "dead" and existing in name only.

It is now generally believed from the reports of collectors thus far at hand that the estimate of \$25,000,000 revenue from the corporation tax this year may be exceeded slightly.

BOY INJURED

IS IN DANGER OF LOSING TWO FINGERS

BOSTON, March 12.—Capt. Peabody of the Joy street station is investigating the circumstances surrounding the explosion of the heavy percussion caps which were being carried in the pocket of Bonnie Stone, a Shubert theatre employee, resulting in serious injury to himself and Alex Flax, an 11-year-old boy, on North Russell street yesterday afternoon. Stone may lose two fingers and the boy's right ankle is badly cut and bruised.

In the heavy bottle carried in Stone's pockets were several hundred caps used for certain stage effects, and he claims that while stopping quickly aside to let others pass him on the street the bottle in his coat was swung against a brick building and exploded. Young Flax was sitting on the doorstep of a vacant store directly in the path of the explosion and but a few feet away. Although pieces of the glass flew over his head, smashing two plate-glass windows and gouging out pieces of the woodwork, his only serious wound is a laceration of his right ankle.

Stone ran to the Massachusetts General hospital, about 100 yards from the scene of the accident, and Flax was carried there by persons who witnessed the accident.

GIBBS DEFEATED O'CONNELL

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 12.—By forcing the fight for the last three rounds after he had been outboxed in the first five, Willie Gibbs, the Philadelphia lightweight, gained the referee's decision over Jeff O'Connell at the Memphis Athletic club last night. O'Connell's ear was torn and his mouth badly swollen as a result of Gibbs' punishment.

After He Had Injured Two Persons

PAWTUCKET, R. I., March 12.—Representing his expulsion last night by an officer from his wife's home at 210 West street, where he was an unwelcome visitor, Austin Chandley, 45 years old, returned and fired a revolver at his wife. The bullet missed her, but struck her sister, Mrs. Rose Carry, wounding her seriously in the right lung.

Michael Goodwin, a brother of Mrs. Chandley, then grappled with his brother-in-law and in the scuffle that ensued was shot, not seriously, in the right breast. He then fled to the room of a friend, who escaped to another room, from out of which he fired at Officer Thomas Carr when the latter entered the room in response for help. Carr drew his pistol and fired twice, hitting Chandley in both shoulders. Chandley was taken to a hospital, where his condition is serious.

JIMMY GARDNER

Had Better of Bout With Clabby

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 12.—Jimmy Gardner of Lowell, Mass., and Jimmy Clabby of Milwaukee, fought a 10-round no-decision bout before the Badger A. C. last night. Both men finished strong. The verdict of the experts at the ringside was that Gardner had a slight shade over his opponent.

The men fought at catch-weights, Gardner being apparently about 15 pounds the heavier.

THE GRAND TRUNK

To Build Road in Rhode Island

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 12.—The hearing on the Grand Trunk's application for a charter for the Southern New England Railway company in Rhode Island before the house committee on corporations closed with a dramatic climax, in which Vice President Edward G. Buckland of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad promised that his road would not oppose the pending charter.

The climax came as the result of the production of a cablegram from London, stating that the Grand Trunk's board of directors at a meeting there had fully endorsed the plans for the extension into this state. A few minutes before, refusing to be interrupted by the Grand Trunk representatives, Mr. Buckland had intimated that President Hayes of the Grand Trunk did not have the backing of his directors in making promise to build a road here.

The cablegram came here via the Grand Trunk's offices at Montreal, directed to Vice President E. H. Fitzhugh, who spoke at the hearing here. Mr. Fitzhugh gave the message to John S. Murdock, the counsel for the road here. The cablegram came from President Hayes in London and was as follows:

"The reading of the cablegram was greeted with shouts and cheers and Chairman Hazzard of the committee rapped vainly for order. Every eye turned to Mr. Buckland, who was manifestly surprised. Mr. Buckland said, 'undoubtedly that is the vote of the board of directors of the Grand Trunk railway of Canada. It is the vote I am forthcoming I absolutely withdraw the objections I have made.' These words bespoke doubt as to the bona fide nature of the petition and the Grand Trunk's purposes in securing the charter. Before the reading of the cablegram, he said that when there was a 'pledge on the part of the Grand Trunk railway to build this road, the objections which I have heretofore stated may be regarded as absolutely withdrawn and I shall then proceed only to discuss some features of the charter.'

HALLEY'S COMET

PROF. LOWELL DESCRIBES THE TAIL OF IT

BOSTON, March 12.—The "airiest approach to nothing set in the midst of night" is the description given the tail of Halley's comet by Prof. Percival Lowell, astronomer and director of the Flagstaff, Ariz., observatory.

"On account of its vacuity it could have no injurious effect on humanity, even if it were the deadliest of gases," said Prof. Lowell in disputing the theory that danger to the earth's inhabitants from a comet is possible and probable.

Further discussing the subject Prof. Lowell said:

"If it were true that the approach of Halley's comet is the cause of storms and floods the world has experienced during the last few months we should have a never-ending succession of disasters for we are visited on an average by five or six comets each year, even though we do not see them."

600 DELEGATES

To Attend Stationary Engineers' Convention

The 14th annual convention of the state association of the National Association of Stationary Engineers will be held in this city July 7, 8 and 9, and about 600 delegates, visitors and exhibitors are expected to be present. Prescott and Runnels halls have been secured for the convention and there will be an exhibition of steam appliances and supplies by local and other firms from all parts of the country. The state convention last met in this city in 1899. Since that time the association has grown and its prestige leads the manufacturers and dealers in steam appliances to exhibit at these conventions as they are in a position to meet those interested in what they have for sale. The public will be admitted free and those interested in steam plants will be urged to visit the exhibition. It will open at noon of the 7th and continue through the evening and all day of the 8th.

The convention proper will meet on the morning of the 8th. The 9th will be devoted to sightseeing and a field day at one of the nearby parks. On the eve of the 8th, either a banquet or smoker will be provided for the entertainment of the visitors.

The local association, No. 17, is putting forth its best efforts to make this the best state convention in the history of the organization.

Lowell, No. 17, is the second largest association in the state and the banner association of the country in the educational work of the national body, it having won two first prizes, two second and three third prizes, in as many years, a record that is not reached by any other association in the country and one of which it naturally feels very proud.

It numbers among its members the brightest and best engineers in this vicinity, and it has through its educational work and discussions saved thousands of dollars to plant owners who are fortunate to have an engineer or fireman in their employ who is a member of the association. Lectures by engineers and technical men are given during the fall and winter and with the educational work and discussions of practical questions brought up at each meeting the time is profitably spent. The watchword of the N. A. S. E. is "To Earn More—Learn More."

It is thoroughly believed in by its members. The convention committee met Wednesday evening and organized with T. N. Kealey as chairman, Joseph Collins secretary, and E. M. Pratt treasurer. Sub-committees were appointed and the plans of the convention formulated.

TEXTILE LOST

Defeated by Lawrence High Athletes

The brawn, muscle and agility of the Lowell Textile school received a set back at the hands of the Lawrence high school athletes in the city hall, Lawrence, last night. The Lowell boys were defeated by a score of 50 to 15. The Textile enthusiasts didn't make any loud noises in the street when they arrived "hum" shortly before the midnight hour. The result of the event was as follows:

In the first trial heat of the 20-yard dash Wise of the Textile school was first and Ayer of Lawrence, second. The time was three seconds. In the second trial heat Mahoney was first and Banan second, both Lawrence. The time was three seconds. Mahoney of Lawrence, won the final heat in 3.1 seconds, with Wise, Textile, second and Banan, Lawrence, third.

In the 25-yard hurdles Ayer, Lawrence, won the first heat, with Johnson, Lawrence, second. Time 4.5 seconds. The second trial heat was won by Mahoney of Lawrence, with Wise, Textile, second. The time was 4.2 seconds. In the final Ayer of Lawrence was a winner, Mahoney, Lawrence second and Wise, Textile, third. The time was four seconds.

The 600-yard run showed Lawrence taking everything. Banan was first, Westland was second, and Lawrence, third. The time was 1.26 2-5, a new record for the track.

In the high jump Banan of Lawrence was first, jumping five feet and one inch. Crane, Textile, and Cheney, Textile, were second and third, respectively.

Lawrence took the top place in the shot put, Yule putting the sphere 37 feet and five inches. Middleton and Harrison, Textile, were second and third.

Ellis, Lawrence, won the 1000-yard run, doing it in two minutes and 45 seconds. Keough, Textile, was second, and Sullivan, Lawrence, was third.

In the 300 yard dash Ayer of Lawrence won in 44.5 seconds. Teschner, Lawrence, was second, and Murphy, Textile, was third.

The class team race, between classes of '12 and '13 was won by the former in 2 minutes 4.5 seconds.

The relay race between Textile and Lawrence was won by the down-river men. The teams were made up as follows: Lawrence—Ayer, Mahoney, Teschner and Banan; Textile—Keough, Murphy, Wise and Duval.

The officials of the games were as follows: Starter, W. A. Dunn; referee, D. J. Linehan; clerk of course, E. J. Ford; judges, C. Scatle, E. S. Riley and A. E. Tracy; inspectors, J. H. Nickerson, E. A. O'Hearn, C. Sullivan and P. N. Hogan; announcer, Daniel O'Connell; timers and measurers, J. E. Haight and R. H. Fox; scorer, J. P. Selfrank.

BOWLING CONGRESS

DETROIT, March 12.—St. Louis was awarded the 1911 tournament and the old officers and members of the executive committee were re-elected with a few exceptions at the annual meeting of the American Bowling congress yesterday. On the alleys, another day passed without a change in the leadership in any of the three classes.

STORM WARNING

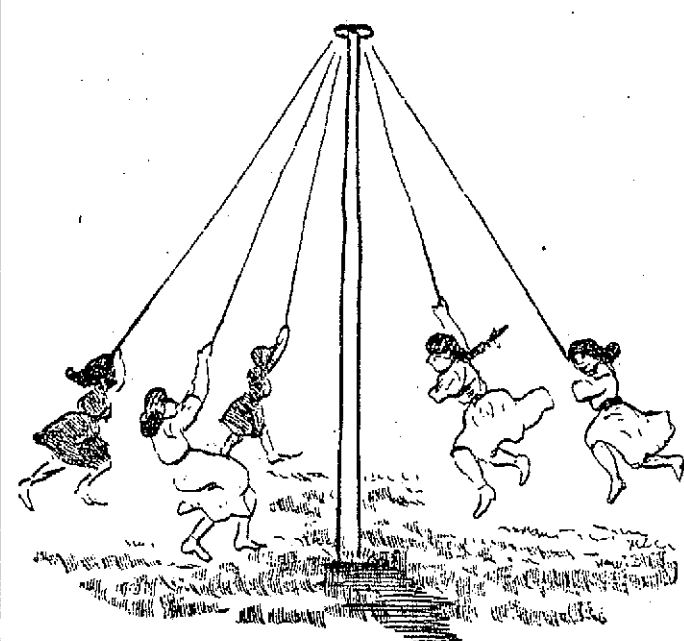
NEW YORK, March 12.—The local weather bureau has received the following special from Washington: Northeast storm warning ordered displayed at 10 a.m. along the coast from Morehead City, N. C. to Boston. Brisk and high northerly winds shifting to northwest. Storm off North Carolina coast moving northwest.

RAILROAD MANAGERS REFUSE

CHICAGO, March 12.—It is unofficially announced that the railroad managers yesterday refused in substance every concession demanded by a Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, representing 25,000 men on 48 western roads, accepting arbitration of the wage question.

PUBLIC PLAYGROUNDS

Judge Pickman Outlines Board's Plans for the Future

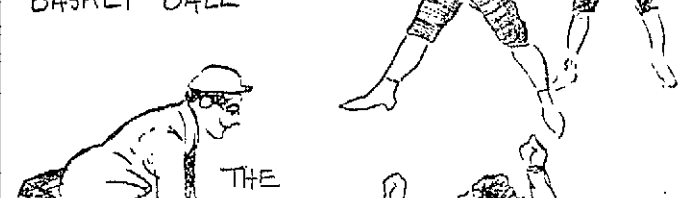
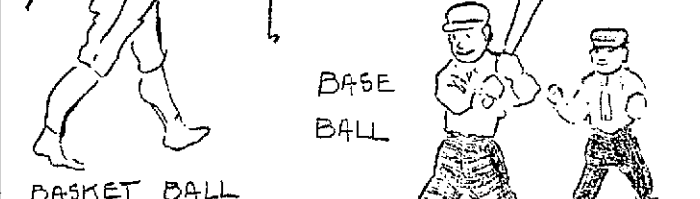
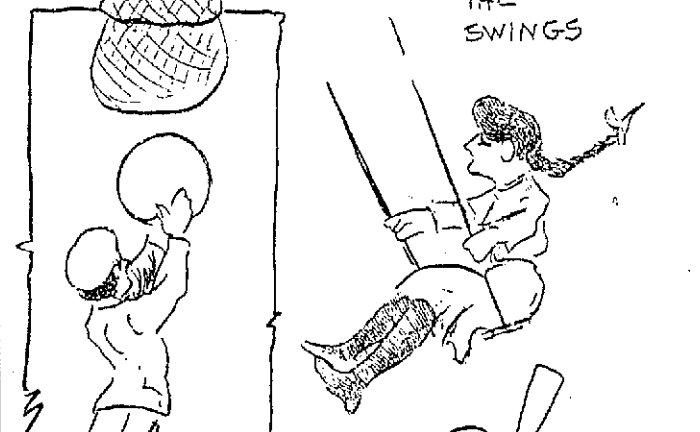


THE JOY OF PLAYING TOGETHER A FEATURE THAT MAY SOON BE SEEN IN LOWELL

Apparatus and Supervisor for Little Canada Park—Money Needed to Complete the Playground at Fort Hill Park—Shower Baths to be Installed There

While there is a general sentiment of The Sun this morning Judge Pickman said: "The sub-committee is now considering the matter of supervising the city, the park commission supervisors for the playgrounds. These supervisors of necessity will be few in number owing to our limited appropriations for the commission has recently appointed a sub-committee consisting of the chairman and Mr. Greene to make plans for the opening and improvement of the local playgrounds. Last year the supervisors were at which promise to be an important feature of Lowell's growing park system. In Judge Pickman's schedule of hours and duties for them as the playgrounds will be improved and will accommodate a greater number of children than formerly. We have a new playground this year that promises to be of importance, the Little Canada park, and we intend to place additional apparatus at Little Canada and have a supervisor there as well. Of course a supervisor will be necessary at the South common as was the case last year. As yet the schedules have not been arranged but everything will be in readiness when the good weather comes. The commission hopes this year to do more for the girls than was done last year. It hopes to diversify their play, that is when they become tired of the more strenuous sports to find them something of a lighter nature after the fashion of kindergarten work and sewing to occupy them and the same idea will be carried out in regard to the boys. We will try a little at a time with a small outfit and our work in this respect will be purely experimental.

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Hot Water

WHILE YOU WAIT

A NEW PROPOSITION TO LOWELL PUBLIC

We invite Housekeepers to come to our John Street Appliance Store to see and to understand the working of a Water Heater.

The Vulcan Heater

An appliance for the heating of water by gas flame. The appliance that will furnish hot water for dish washing in 5 minutes; that will furnish 10 gallons of hot water for the bath in 20 minutes. That in supplying 10 gallons of hot water will consume but one and one-third cents of gas.

OUR OFFER

We will install the Vulcan Heater in any house, set up complete ready to deliver hot water for \$15.00 Cash Payment, or we will do all as above on four instalment payments as follows:

First Payment.....\$5.00, when order is given
Second Payment.....\$4.00, at end of six months
Third Payment.....\$4.00, at end of twelve months
Final Payment.....\$3.00, at end of eighteen months

The Vulcan Heater will fit any and every kitchen. If this announcement shall interest You, it is for YOU to call at John Street Appliance Store where you may see the entire operations and fully understand. Three thousand (3000) of these Vulcan Heaters were placed in the city of Detroit, Mich., during 1909.

Lowell Gas Light Company

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Asked relative to the Fort Hill playground now in process of construction and which when completed according to the plans of the commission will be the finest of its kind in all New England Judge Pickman said: "On our appropriation last year we built the necessary retaining wall for the playground on the westerly side of the hill and with \$1500 or \$2000 we can complete it according to the original plans and give the public a playground that cannot be excelled in any city of New England. We have room for a base ball field as large as most of the big league grounds. On one side the hill rises gracefully from the ball field making a natural grand stand partially shaded by trees, which will comfortably accommodate 5000 people. In addition to the ball field there is room enough for other apparatus and it is the commission's intention when its means permit to establish comfort stations and shower baths on the Fort Hill grounds. This work, however, needs an additional appropriation and

the residents of that section of the city would seem entitled to it. Belvidere has no playground outside of Fort Hill park. All of the vacant land upon which the boys and girls used to play has been built upon and now they have nothing left but the streets and this playground now in process of construction."

YALE ATHLETE IS SAID TO BE MENTALLY UNSOUND.

NEW YORK, March 12.—Lloyd Miller Vandeventer, a former Yale football player, was yesterday committed to Bellevue hospital by Magistrate O'Connor to be examined as to his mental condition, at the request of his wife, Mrs. Anna Vandeventer, who said he had been acting queerly for several days.

Mrs. Vandeventer insisted there was something the matter with her husband's mind. She said he had threatened her and she was afraid to live with him.

Mrs. Vandeventer's maiden name was Anna Stearns Blake. Her father, Nelson T. Blake, lives in Hampton, N. H. She was secretly married to Vandeventer while he was attending Yale.

SKULL FRACTURED MAN IS NOT EXPECTED TO LIVE

NORRIDGEWOOD, Me., March 12.—Threatened, it is claimed, with assault by Ernest Warren, a former employee, George Harlow, a prominent lumber dealer, yesterday, it is charged, knocked the man down with a club. Warren's skull was fractured and he was hurt so severely he may die.

Mr. Harlow told the authorities that he had discharged Warren, who had worked at Harlow's sawmill at Martin Stream, three miles from here. After his discharge, Warren, according to Mr. Harlow, drank heavily and while intoxicated attempted to attack his former employer.

According to the police, Harlow said he was forced to strike him for self-protection. No arrest was made.

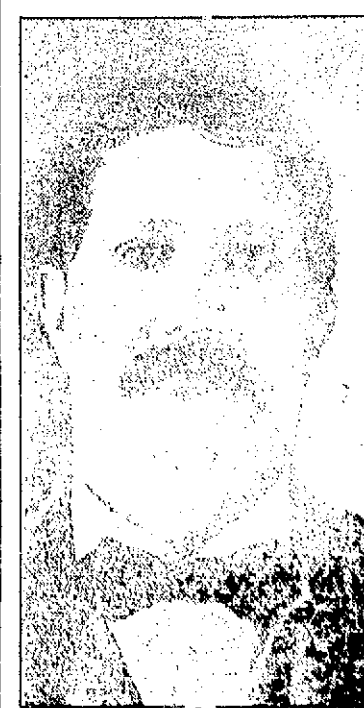
THE FAIRBANKS SAIL

LIVERPOOL, March 12.—Former Vice President and Mrs. Fairbanks sailed for New York today on the steamer Mauretania.

Appetite Restored

AND ALL MY ACHES LEFT ME

Read This Man's Testimonial



I take much pleasure in writing this letter to you in praise of your valuable medicine. I had a very bad spell of sickness and could not eat. My whole body ached. Hearing of DR. GRADY'S PURE MALT AND RYE, I decided to try a bottle. Before I had used half a bottle my appetite came back and all my aches left me. In fact I became a new person as far as my health was concerned.

Truly yours,
FRANK L. BARNABY,
Burlington, Mass.

Evening Sessions Continue

Evening Courses Continue Through June

Evening High Commercial

Students can go on just where they left off, by entering now for two or three lessons a week

Bookkeeping, Shorthand, Typewriting, Penmanship, And Life Membership of our Situation Department if you finish with us. Call, telephone or write for Free Catalogue.

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NOTABLE BOOK

On Ireland by Editor
Sutherland of Phila.

"Ireland Yesterday and Today," a book by Hugh Sutherland, associate editor of the Philadelphia North American, and treating of the causes that have largely overcome the oppression and that promise complete regeneration in the near future, is receiving the most flattering notices from the press of this country.

The Philadelphia North American, one of the oldest and greatest papers in this country, has been distinguished for supporting every movement looking to liberty and good government whether in this country or abroad. Seven years ago, or to be exact, in the summer of 1902, it sent Mr. Hugh Sutherland to Ireland to investigate the land question as the war on the landlords was then at its height and the question of right and wrong between the landlords and the people was the subject of much controversy.

Mr. Sutherland went to Ireland a disinterested and unprejudiced party to do the work assigned him by his newspaper. He made a tour of the country, entering the south and east to west, entering the homes of the people, talking with the farmers, the business men and even with the landlords, thus finding out for himself the facts of the situation. In a series of letters to his newspaper, he reported his personal observations in Philadelphia. These letters which were widely read presented the land question in a clearer light than ever before by any American newspaper. He explained the meaning of Irish landlordism, its effects upon political and economic conditions, the misery of the people as a result of turning the best land into pastures and driving the people to the barren mountain sides. He told also of the agitation conducted by the Irish parliamentary party and the plans for the overthrow of the oppressive system of landlordism as well as the coercion by which it had so long been upheld and protected.

On his first visit he predicted the success of the Irish people in driving out the landlords, and this prediction was fully verified as shown by the letters written on his subsequent visit. The act for the abolition of landlordism in Ireland was passed in 1903 and after six years under that act the progress noted by Mr. Sutherland on his second visit in 1909, was really astounding.

His tour he passed largely over the same ground he had trodden in 1902 in order that he might note the changes if any, in local conditions effected during that time. If the letters of his former visit were discouraging from their description of misery and gloom, a striking contrast in their expression of the new spirit that had possessed the people; the hopes that had inspired them with the departure of the landlords and the restoration of the land to the people from whom it was stolen centuries before. The evidences on every hand of a general uplift, of

coming prosperity, content and happiness were all reflected in these letters from Mr. Sutherland, as published in the Philadelphia North American. The letters treated something of a sensation in this country as indicating the accomplishment of a peaceful revolution in Ireland through the work of the United Irish League.

After describing the vast improvements in the homes of the people and the new order of living, Mr. Sutherland turned to the question of home rule and on this subject he gives some of the most valuable historic information regarding the alleged conquests of Ireland, the penal laws, the corruption that led to the act of union, the misgovernment by Dublin castle, and the reign of landlordism, which made home rule impossible.

In concluding his letters, Mr. Sutherland predicts that home rule is bound to come if the people support the movement under Mr. Redmond. Those letters are entirely the most illuminating that can be found on the Irish question. They show the result of great research and are beyond a doubt the most careful presentation of the events that have swayed the destinies of Ireland for the past century.

Some of the descriptions of the conditions are very graphic. One of particular note tells of the last eviction at which the policemen of Ireland assisted, an eviction that today would be impossible. It is a touching story of a great battle at the close of the land war, a battle of which the people fought against the eviction of a farmer until overcome by the government cohorts, sent to enforce the decrees of landlord extortion. No eviction of the kind will ever again occur in Ireland, Mr. Sutherland asserts.

A great many of the sympathizers with the Irish parliamentary movement regretted that they had not been able to get all the letters, and Hon. Michael J. Ryan of Philadelphia, national president of the United Irish League, conceived the idea of supplying this need by having all the letters published in book form with Mr. Sutherland's consent. The book is quite a respectable volume, and any one who wants the most accurate and up-to-date information of the Ireland of today should possess a copy. No library without it.

The book is published for the benefit of the United Irish League as the result of Mr. Sutherland's generosity, and whatever funds it may realize will go to the sale of the work will be turned over to the United Irish League. Hon. John E. Redmond has written a complimentary but conservative introduction to the book in which he takes occasion to thank Mr. Sutherland and his paper for the splendid uplift given to the movement by this gratuitous service by the Philadelphia North American. He shows that if the truth be known of the Irish question it will win the sympathy of the world, and nothing that has been written in this country or by the press of any country has done so much to form a correct public opinion and to disseminate correct information upon the Irish question of today as the publication of Mr. Sutherland's letters and their subsequent appearance in book form. The price of the book is one dollar, postage 17 cents extra. Orders may be sent to the Philadelphia North American, Philadelphia, or to John O'Callaghan, Room 43, Globe Building, Boston.

FLAG CARNIVAL

By the Women of
Grace Church

The Highland club house was the scene of another very pleasant affair yesterday. It was the second annual flag carnival by the women of the Grace Universalist church.

The young people of the church danced from 4 to 6 in the afternoon and in the evening general dancing was enjoyed by the people of the church and their friends who filled the hall to its capacity. The American flag was there in all its glory. The walls were draped with American flags of various sizes and the stage background was set with a large flag.

Sale tables were well patronized and did a rushing business both afternoon and evening. The candy table was presided over by Miss Maude Marshall and Miss Edith Marshall assisted by a committee of young people. Mrs. Martha Richardson and Mrs. J. P. Bachelor had direct charge of the domestic table and the grab table was looked after by Miss Eva Bous, Mrs. Irene Derby and Miss Ruth Crawford. The fancy table was in charge of Mrs. Charles N. Woodward and the luncheon table was in charge of Mrs. R. A. Greene. The decorations were in charge of William Thompson, Edward Woodward, Robert Potter, Moses Strauss and Lawrence and Wallace Safford.

GAVE HIMSELF UP

J.D. Pomerleau Charged
With Larceny

John D. Pomerleau, aged 18 years, walked into the police station about 9 o'clock last night and there and then requested to be locked up. Captain Atkinson acquiesced, and John D. was politely escorted to a cell in the rear. Why did he do this? Because his mother told him to, and that's reason enough. He said that he and a man named McGuinn were wanted for breaking and entering and larceny in the Free L. Timmons' saloon in Middlesex street. He went to New York, he said, after the stuff, which was made March 1. His mother had read about what he had done and wrote to him, pleading with him to come home. McGuinn and Pomerleau, it is alleged, entered the Timmons' saloon on the night of Feb. 22 and March 1. They got some very good stuff. McGuinn was arrested a few days after the second break, but Pomerleau left town. Robbery men were indicted by the grand jury. Pomerleau lives at 392 Middlesex street.

GOT TWO MONTHS

INDIAN THREW CONDUCTOR
THROUGH CAR WINDOW

BOSTON, March 12.—Everett Jones, a full-blooded Indian, was sentenced to two months in the house of correction yesterday on the charge of assaulting a street car conductor. It was testified that the Indian threw the conductor through the car window at the corner of Washington and Milk streets. He was arrested after a fight with Policeman Maurice Fitzgerald.

Ms. Louise D. Downes of 161 Northampton street was sentenced to six months in the house of correction on the charge of assault upon her stepdaughter, Margaret, aged 16. It was alleged that the woman threw a lighted lamp at her husband and that it struck the daughter and exploded. A fire started, which caused serious damage to the house. Two firemen were injured and an aged woman had a narrow escape from death from being struck by the fire team.

Frederick Lyons, 21 Quincy place, Roxbury, and John J. Punch of Compton street, were fined \$2000 each for the grand jury on the charge of high treason. They were charged with putting Charles H. Carter, a waiter into the doorway at 16 Cornhill street, Thursday night, and robbing him.

GAS SAVING INVENTION
Just a little valve—the work of a minute to adjust—and you have a saving of from 25 to 50 per cent in your gas bills, says the inventor.

This tells the story of the invention of Mr. F. N. Labelle of this city, after years of experiments. It means much, he says, to the people of Lowell, and gas consumers all over the country. It may not make a hit with the gas companies, but that isn't worrying the inventor.

The valve is a sort of door which is placed within the gas pipe at any point between the meter and the first light, making it effective as a saving medium all over the house. When one gas jet is lighted, the pressure resulting forces the little door open, and a second gas jet is lighted, the door acts automatically under the added pressure and permits just enough gas to flow by to insure a bright, steady flame. Thus, Mr. Labelle says, all of the waste due to flickering or over-pressure is eliminated.

The economizer can be installed in a pipe of any size. For the ordinary household the saving of 25 to 50 per cent is claimed, with an outlay of only \$2. The device, the inventor claims, cannot wear out. If a family moves, the economizer can be removed in a minute and installed in a new gas pipe. For big blocks, requiring a regulator of larger size, a different arrangement is made. It will be put in at the company's own expense on a basis of 25 per cent of the savings.

The invention may be seen at the demonstrating office, 4 Merrimack sq., commencing March 14th.

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The Original and Genuine
HORLICK'S
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The Food-drink for All Ages.
At restaurants, hotels and fountains.
Delicious, invigorating and sustaining.
Keep it on your sideboard at home.
Don't travel without it.
A quick lunch prepared in a minute.
Take no substitute. Ask for HORLICK'S
Others are imitations.
If you would help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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SPECIAL FOR
SATURDAY

\$25.00

SILK LINED
OVERCOATS

\$18.50

New model, regular length coats, of fine quality, black dressed worsted, lined and faced to button holes with Mervullex silk, hand tailored throughout.

Sizes up to 42.
Today's anniversary price \$18.50.

Special For Monday
A STEIN-BLOCH
\$20 SUIT FOR
\$15

A new spring model in a fancy gray cassimere—a nobby young man's suit.

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D. S. O'BRIEN CO.
222 Merrimack Street.

FIREMEN GO FREE
B. & N. Railway Extends
Its Courtesy

"Every little bit adds up to what you've got makes a little bit more." Firemen in uniform will be allowed to ride "free" on all cars of the Boston & Northern, beginning tomorrow. This is extending the firemen the same privilege as is extended the policemen. Captain Burns of Engine 4 is credited with being the "man behind" the free movement, and the following communication, addressed to Mr. Burns, is self-explanatory:

Boston & Northern Street Railway Co.,
84 State Street, Boston.
March 10, 1910.

Office of Vice President and General Manager.
Mr. J. Edward Burns, Engine 4, High Street, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir:—Referring to the subject matter of the pending petition, discussed at this morning's conference, I beg to advise you that instructions were issued last evening, Sunday, March 13th, permanent firemen of Lowell shall be carried free within the city limits, when in uniform, and with the understanding that they shall not occupy seats whenever same are required for the use of paying passengers.

Respectfully,
Robert S. Goff,
Vice Pres. and Gen. Manager.

DRACUT RECOUNT
Failed to Make Change
in Result

Dracut's recount for selectmen, highway surveyor and cemetery commissioner took place before the board of registrars in the town hall last night. The revised figures of the candidates are as follows: Blanks, 274; lost 2; Cullinan, 215; lost 2; Garland, 232; lost 3; Jones, 231; lost 3; McDonald, 273; lost 3; Polard, 266; gained 1.
Highway surveyor, Carroll, 291; lost 2; Richardson, 233; lost 1.
Cemetery commissioner, Farrell, 259; lost 2; Penobscot, 233; lost 2.

Mr. Fred Toddler served on the board of registrars for the recount, replacing Thomas Carrick, who was recently elected town warden.
The school board met last night and re-organized. Nelson E. Huntley was chosen chairman and Charles H. Cutler, secretary. The following were appointed as follows: Centre, N. E. Huntley; Quoddy school, Bernard Maguire; Parker avenue, John Hutchins; Collinsville, C. H. Cutler; Broadway, Carlisle Smith; Dracut, Melvin Richardson and Kenwood, Moses Dalgle.

The committee on books and supplies was constituted as follows: Jax, Mozley, Hiram Linscott and Supl. Chase.
The committee on repairs is as follows: Hiram Linscott, James Mozley, and N. E. Huntley.
The committee on transportation was named as follows: C. H. Cutler, Hiram Linscott and James Mozley.

WORTH THE PRICE
The entertainment and lecture to be given in Associate hall Sunday night by Division 1 of the A. O. H. for the building fund, will be well worth the price of admission. Mr. Thomas F. Ritty, who will deliver a lecture on Ireland, is a man well qualified to deal with the subject. He has lectured in Lowell before on a similar subject so that he is no stranger here. The expert part of the program will be especially good, the pick of local talent having sketched a willingness to take part. Miss Katherine L. Mollen, who made so great a hit in the "Maid and the Minstrel" recently, will sing "The Low Backed Car," and the "Star Spangled Banner." The Glendale rollers will appear in choice selections, as well as other well known local talent.

USED A FORTUNE

To Keep His Door
Open

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 12.—Adelard Levesque, until recently a struggling painter forced to work hard to earn his living and glad of any work that came his way, has, through his lucky find in the St. Lawrence river while fishing, risen to a position where he can turn down an offer of \$20,000 for the lump of ambergris, which he mistook for a water animal and fired upon with both barrels of a shotgun.

Mr. Levesque stated that he was offered \$20,000 for the waxy-like mass by State Chemist C. D. Howard. It is not known whether Mr. Howard made the offer on his own responsibility or in the interests of other parties, but Mr. Levesque said he refused. Mr. Levesque confided to a friend that when he disposed of the precious ambergris he intended to settle on a government farm in Canada.

Mr. Levesque used his find to keep a door open, and having no knowledge of its value, did not know that a fortune lay within his grasp for three years until a Boston physician offered him \$125 for the ambergris. Then he investigated and was informed of its value by Chemist Howard, who at first did not know the name of the man who approached him.

Mr. Levesque lives at 285 Chestnut street. He has resided in Manchester 13 years and has a wife and two children, one a boy of 15 years and the other a girl of 15 months. His brother Florence is in the west at present.

DIED SUDDENLY

LAUGHLIN WAS BROTHER-IN-LAW
OF PRES. TAFT

PITTSBURG, March 12.—Thomas McK. Laughlin, a brother-in-law of President and Mrs. William H. Taft, died suddenly of cerebral hemorrhage yesterday at his home in this city. Mr. Laughlin was born March 10, 1875, and was prominent in business and social life here. He was married in Cincinnati in 1902 to Miss Herron, a sister of Mrs. William H. Taft, and besides the widow he leaves two young sons, William, aged 8, and Thomas, aged 4, and two brothers, George M. Jr., of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Co., and Irwin B. Laughlin, secretary of the American embassy at Berlin.

Mr. Laughlin was a member of the executive board and secretary and treasurer of the Jones & Laughlin Co., a bank director and member of many clubs. He also was a graduate of Yale class of '97 and prepared at St. Paul's school, Concord, N. H.

CORPORATION TAX

CONSTITUTIONALITY OF THE
LAW IN QUESTION

WASHINGTON, March 12.—"For taking away our charters," was one of the grievances of the American colonies against the king of Great Britain at the time the declaration of independence was made. The same thing is being done today by the federal government. The federal government has established a law which would have become an instrument for taking away our charters.

That is the climax in the brief of Maxwell Evans and Henry S. Wardner, counsel for Stella P. Flint of Windsor, Vt., just filed in the supreme court of the United States in opposition to the constitutionality of the corporation tax law. Their main point is that the law so far as it effects the Stone Tracy company is unconstitutional because it invades the sovereignty of the state of Vermont. It is also argued that the company would be deprived of its property for public use without just compensation and is unconstitutional.

The brief holds that the law was only superficially considered in congress.

CO. K. INSPECTED
Company K, Sixth regiment, was inspected by Major James E. Smythe, of the inspector general's department, at the state armory in Westford street, last night. Assisting in the inspection were Major Demon, of the third battalion of the Sixth; Lieut. Kendall and Col. G. H. Priest. Present were Lieut. McDowell and Sergt. Jalbert of Company B, of Flitburg.

Company M, Ninth regiment was inspected on Tuesday night, by Lieut. Col. Wolcott, of the inspector general's department, and Major Dunn of Lawrence. Company G, Sixth regiment, will be inspected on the evening of March 21st, and Company C will be inspected on the evening of April 1st.

NEW ECZEMA REMEDY

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The new remedy Cadum has astonished the medical world. Many cures of eczema and other distressing skin diseases are reported, and the remarkable feature in most cases is the quickness of the cure. Eczema is not a blood disease, but a skin affection. It cannot be cured by internal medicines. External treatment is absolutely necessary. Since the introduction of Cadum eczema is now recognized as a curable disease, and that tormenting affliction has been robbed of its terrors. Cadum stops the itching at once and begins the healing process with the first application. It destroys disease germs, allays inflammation and is soothing and healing to the skin. From the moment it is applied to any skin trouble immediate relief is felt. It is for pimples, blotches, hives, tetter, itch, acne, herpes, scaly skin, psoriasis, rash, chafing, eruptions, sores, scurvy, scabs, blackheads, itching piles, etc. Trial box 10c; large box 25c; all druggists.

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BANK OFFICERS
Are Blamed by Examiner Hann

WASHINGTON, March 12.—National Bank Examiner Samuel M. Hann of Baltimore, who was sent by the controller of the currency to take charge of the affairs of the National City Bank of Cambridge after the suspension of Bank Examiner Ellis S. Draper, will come to Washington Monday to make a verbal report to the controller on the condition of things as he has found them up to the present time and also to tell the controller whether Coleman's defalcation could not have been discovered sooner if Draper's examinations had been made thorough and Coleman's superiors had exercised greater vigilance.

While there is no desire to prejudice anyone in advance of a thorough knowledge of all the facts, it is clearly the belief of officials in the office of the controller that the defalcation would not have occurred if the bank officers had been as diligent as the law requires them or if Draper's examinations had been more searching. Controller Murray yesterday received a letter from Examiner Hann, who is outpoken in his condemnation of the lax conduct of the officers of the bank. Coleman's defalcation he terms "palpable and glaring," and he says it could never have been hidden if the officials of the bank had followed the instructions of the controller relating to the conduct and duties of bank officers, and ordinary diligence had been used. He makes it plain that he is clearly of the opinion that the officers did not do their proper duty. Less is said in regard to Draper, although the impression also prevails that had Draper kept closer watch of the bank Coleman's defalcation would have been discovered much earlier.

No action will be taken in regard to an assessment on the stockholders of the National City bank until the receiver's report is made. There is little doubt, however, that an assessment of 100 per cent will be made.

BRADLEY WILL
TESTATOR DID NOT SIGN THE DOCUMENT

The will of Elizabeth G. Bradley, of Haverhill, which left most of her money to socialism and a bequest to a Lowell relative will probably be allowed by the court although the document is not legally signed. The will is in the testator's own handwriting, but the signature was omitted. The estate will amount to about \$8000.

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Established 1851
Note: "cure all." Take it when your stomach's "off"—head aches—breath is bad.
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IN REAL ESTATE CASES OF HAZING WEST POINTERS DEBATED BY SENATORS AND ARMY MEN

Transactions Recorded
During Past Week

The real estate transactions recorded for the week for Lowell and vicinity are as follows:

LOWELL.
Ann McGuane et al. to Krok M. Gorgodan, land, \$1.
Martin McGuane to Ann McGuane, land on Winter street, \$1.
Annie Cuff to Katherine Cuff, land and buildings on Agawam and Moore streets, \$1.
Lowell Trust for Savings to George J. Constantinian, land on Pawtucket and Mount Washington streets, \$1.
Charles Olin Gray's admr. to Harriet F. Wakefield, land and buildings on Loring street, \$2800.
Frank B. Melvin to William H. Hoar, et al., land and buildings on Corbett street, \$1.
Ann M. Brady to Katie F. Brady, land and buildings on Keene street, \$1.
Michael J. Smith to Alice B. Brown, land and buildings on Corbitt street, \$1.
Leroy M. Turner to Melissa Graves, land and buildings on Hadley st., \$1.
Winters, land, \$1.
Langstaff to Eliza A. Winters, land, \$1.
Joseph E. Langstaff to Eliza A. Winters, land, \$1.
Bridgman to David C. Jones, land on Reservoir st., \$1.
Leonice L. Fortin to Armand V. Sicard, land on Moody st., \$1.
Charles F. Lancaster et al. to Richard Murphy, land on Liddle st., \$1.
John O. Gulline to Stewart C. Gulline, land at corner Princeton and Baldwin st., \$1.
Edmund M. Warren to Hugh J. Gilson, land at Rosemont Terrace, \$1.
Mary Elton Russell et al. to Harry W. Coburn, land and buildings at corner Beeson and Third sts., \$1.
Flory Capone to Lucien Daigle, land and buildings at corner Farmland road and Dalton st., \$1.
Abbie E. Kelley to John R. McArthur, land on Parkview ave., \$1.
Arthur G. Johnson to Bertha H. Beharrell, land, \$1.
Frank C. Beharrell's admr. to Bertha H. Beharrell, land and buildings on Fremont st., \$2500.

BILLERICA.
Burton C. Pasho et al. to William I. Pasho, land, \$1.
Elizabeth A. Abbott to Everett W. Livingston, land on Amesbury st., \$1.
Elizabeth A. Abbott to Everett W. Livingston, land, \$1.
Hattie Mahoney's est. by coll. to Town of Billerica, land, \$550.
Dennis Hayes' est. by coll. to Town of Billerica, land, \$550.

WILMINGTON.
William C. Norcross to Edward S. Eaton, land, \$1.
Edward S. Eaton to Charles E. Kinsman, land at corner Short and Newkirk ave., \$1.
Frank W. Coughlin to Henry T. Beckwith, land on Winston street, \$1.
Frank W. Coughlin to Benjamin Gordon, land on Elwood road, \$1.
Sylvester Carter to John Kenny, land, \$50.

TEWKSBURY.
Herman Kasher to Louis Eno, land and buildings on Billerica road, \$1.
TYNGSBORO.
John J. Condy to David Blencher et al., land on State highway, \$1.
John A. Shapson et al. to William A. Park, land, \$1.

LOSS IS \$20,000

Fire at North Rochester, N. H.

ROCHESTER, N. H., March 12.—Fire that is supposed to have started from spontaneous combustion last night destroyed the stock sheds of the J. Spaulding Sons Co. in North Rochester, at a loss that will reach \$20,000. The sheds, many of which were filled with the waste material from which the firm manufactures its product—leather board—were five hundred feet long and thirty feet wide. The loss is covered by insurance.

FOR SALE

The two tenement house, barn and about 9000 feet of land at 779 Westford street is for sale to settle an estate. Any reasonable offer will not be refused. Apply to Jeremiah Ryan, on the premises, or to James H. Carmichael, Central Block.

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WEST POINT CADETS ON DRESS PARADE

WASHINGTON, March 12.—The failure of the subcommittee on military affairs to reach an agreement on the bills authorizing the reinstatement in the United States Military academy at West Point cadets William T. Russell, Jr., Harry C. Weaver and Chauncey C. Devore, convicted of hazing, threw the question into the hands of the full committee. The case has attracted much attention. It is known that Secretary of War Dickenson and Col. Hugh L. Scott, superintendent of the academy, are opposed to the reinstatement of cadets convicted of hazing. They hold that failure to exact from hazers the penalty required by law tends to the subversion of discipline at the academy.

STATEHOOD BILL ASSAULT CHARGE RICH FRESHMEN

Amended So Mexicans Prisoner Was Castigated by Judge To be Expelled From Harvard

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The Arizona and New Mexico statehood bill was ordered favorably reported by the senate committee on territories yesterday. Amendments were adopted which will permit all citizens who have lived in the territories a year to vote for the ratification of the constitutions of the proposed states.
The effect of this will be to exact election qualifications in the form in which they existed prior to the recent acts of the territorial legislatures, which had the effect of disfranchising certain classes of citizens, notably Mexicans, and which was designed, according to republicans, to make the states democratic.
In the form in which the Beveridge bill was drafted, residents of the territories would have been permitted to vote after a residence of six months, but Senator Dick moved to substitute a requirement of one year's residence. All members of the committee voted for the Dick amendment except Chairman Beveridge.
Democratic members of the committee sought to incorporate in the bill the franchise requirement adopted by the Arizona legislature and to apply this to both territories. The proposition was defeated by the votes of Beveridge, Dillingham, Nelson, Burnham, Keam and Dick, republicans, and Clarke of Arkansas, democrat. The affirmative votes were cast by Frazier and Hughes, democrats. The absentees were Piles and Owen.
Another important amendment adopted today sets aside 1,000,000 acres of public land in each territory for the payment of county bonds which have been specifically validated by acts of congress.
The bill cannot be taken up in the senate until after disposition of the administration railroad bill.

A \$500 CLERK

WASHINGTON, Mar. 12.—President Taft's advocacy of economy in public expenditure has struck a responsive chord in an individual signing himself "A \$500 clerk," who says he saved the government sundry small amounts last year by the careful use of ink and lead pencils. He expressed hope of long life "for this economical administration." The letter was addressed to Sec. MacVeagh in the following words:
"During the past year, by omitting to cross my 'I's or dot my 'I's, I have saved the government two cents in ink. Will you please add this to my salary. I am now using my lead pencils down to one-half inch. I hope in this way to save another cent. Long live this economical administration!"
"I am short of paper, or I would write a longer letter. We are one year nearer the millennium."

EVENING HIGH

GRADUATION ON TUESDAY, MARCH 15
The closing session of the evening high school was held last evening and graduation will take place, Tuesday, March 15.

THE ALDUS CASE

ALBANY, N. Y., March 12.—There was session of the Conger-Alldus tribe investigation today.

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LEGAL NOTICES

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Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Katherine T. Lennon, Mary E. Lennon and Annie M. Harrington, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-third day of March, A. D. 1910, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.
And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court, this twenty-fifth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.
Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.
W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Catherine Stanton, otherwise called Katie Stanton, and late of Lowell, late of Tewksbury, in said County, deceased.
Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Thomas T. Brennan, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the fifteenth day of March, A. D. 1910, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.
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Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Jefferson Gordon and Ellen Westall Gordon, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond.
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Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.
W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Margaret Wright, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.
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SILVER BAG with initials M. A. O'R., containing gold jewelry and keys, lost on Tremont st. between Adams and State sts. Reward \$5.00. Apply to the Sun office.

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SWEET APPLES FOR BAKING

Sweet apples for baking. The best
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THE NEXT COOKING DEMONSTRATION LECTURE

Carolyn Putnam Webber will lecture
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Monday afternoon next at 8 o'clock.
Doors open at 2:30. Street cars go to
the door, corner Bridge and Hildreth
streets. This lecture is under the di-
rection of the Lowell Gas Light Co.,
and free admission and a hearty wel-
come is extended to all.

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Golden Soup
Cheese Cakes
Manhattan Scallops
Planked Lamb Chops
Rice Waffles
Brioche Rolls
Date Pudding
Sabayon Sauce

CHURCH MOVES

TO MAKE ROOM FOR A LIQUOR
SALOON

PITTSFIELD, March 12.—To make
room for an applicant for a liquor li-
cense the church of God, an undenominational
organization, has been notified to
move out of its quarters on West
street, where it has been holding ser-
vices for two years. The location has
been admirably for the work of the or-
ganization, being surrounded by saloons
and restaurants. Undaunted by being
forced out the members of the church
will take rooms in the building above
the saloon.

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H. ROYCE'S COAL?
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WATCH THIS PAPER FOR MY SPRING SALES.

C. F. KEYES, Real Estate Auctioneer,

Office and Commission House, Old Boston & Maine Depot, Green
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Associate Hall, Sunday Evening, March
13, 1910. By

Division 1, A. O. H. for the benefit of
the building fund. Lecture by Thos. P.
Riley, Esq., of Boston, a member of the
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Piano Solo, Kathleen Mavourneen.
Miss Veronica B. Rediker
Solo

"Pretty Peggy"
Miss May Deignan
"The Minstrel Boy"
Mr. William L. Gookin

Lecture, Thos. P. Riley, Esq., Molloy
Mrs. Nano Gallagher Leahy
"Wearing of the Green"
Mr. Jas. E. Donnelly
"The Low Back'd Car"
Miss Katharine L. Mullin
Reading, Emmett's Vindictive Speech
Mr. Jas. H. Coughlin
"Believe Me"
Mrs. Nano Gallagher Leahy
"Irish Melodies"
Glendale Quartet:
Mr. Martin Maguire, 1st tenor; Mr.
Frank Golden, 2d tenor; Mr. Henry
Curry, 1st bass; Mr. Edward
McNulty, 2d bass.

"The Star Spangled Banner"
Accompanied, Mr. John J. Kelly.
Tickets for sale at Associate Hall
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A LOWELL WOMAN

**Died Friendless and Penniless
in Minneapolis**

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 12.—
Her fortune dissipated in vain at-
tempts to become reconciled with her
husband, deeming it her Christian duty
to live with him, Mrs. Harriet Cole,
said to be the daughter of a Lowell
Mass. judge, is dead here, penniless,
friendless and alone.

It is said that during her search for
her husband, who left her in 1896, fol-
lowing business reverses and family
estrangements, in Lowell, Mrs. Cole
spent between \$150,000 and \$200,000.
A short time after the first disap-
pearance of her husband, Valdo J.
Cole, she began the search for him,
which finally became her one life inter-
est. At the end of the first year she
spent \$30,000; but she had succeeded
in finding him in Elgin, Ill., where he
was working as a farm hand.

The disagreement which had first
separated them still stood as a barrier.
Cole refused to live with his wife again
and a divorce was granted in the Du-
Page county courts. Then he dropped
out of sight again.

Mrs. Cole took up her search once
more. After long anxious inquiry she
located her husband in Bloomington,
Ill., and saw him there. But he dis-
appeared for the third time.

Still the woman kept up her search
untiring. In 1908, after ten long years
of money-spending and disappoint-
ment, her fortune was gone and her
life and health were broken.

Then relatives, pitying her, placed
Mrs. Cole in a sanitarium at Waukegan,
Wis. She had not been there long
when she escaped. After that she was
not heard of again until today, when
death ended her hopeless wanderings.

INJURIES FATAL

YOUTH WAS HURT IN A FREIGHT
WRECK

NEWBURYPORT, March 12.—The
freight wreck on the Boston & Maine
railroad near the Newburyport bridge,
early today, resulted fatally for Wm.
Welch, the 18 year old boy, who was
riding on the brake beams. Welch,
who was caught in the wreckage, died
of his injuries in a hospital shortly
after being taken there. The cause of
the wreck is not known.

UNCONSCIOUS

MANCHESTER WOMAN IS IN A
SERIOUS CONDITION

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 12.—
Mrs. Moses Wadleigh was found un-
conscious on the floor of her home, 179
Lowell street, early yesterday morning.
On being revived she could give no ex-
planation of her condition.
She stated that the last she could re-
call was that a young man came from
the high school late Thursday after-
noon to look after the furnace. She
has no recollection of subsequent
events.
Her husband, Major Moses Wad-
leigh, a traveling salesman, was located
in Fitchburg, Mass., and arrived home
last night. Mrs. Wadleigh, although
conscious, is said to be in a precarious
condition.

DRIVER INJURED

HE WAS THROWN FROM FIRE
ENGINE.

MELROSE, March 12.—Thrown from
the seat of engine 1, which he was
driving to a fire on Vine street yester-
day noon-time, Charles Edwards,
driver of the apparatus, had a narrow
escape from serious injury when the
rear wheel of the engine collided with
a telegraph pole at the corner of Essex
and Willow streets.
The horses proceeding at a
slow rate of speed, as there is a hill in
that vicinity, and Edwards, springing
quickly to his feet, was able to climb
back on to the engine before they ran
away.
The blaze was in the house, 21 Vine
street, occupied by Mrs. W. L. Ellis. It
started in an ash barrel and entailed a
damage of about \$500.

EZRA E. MANSUR, Auctioneer

BY ORDER OF THE GUARDIAN OF M. JENNIE OSGOOD, I SHALL
SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION ON TUESDAY MORNING, MARCH
15, COMMENCING AT 9 O'CLOCK, AT 108 CHURCH STREET, THE
FURNITURE CONTAINED IN THE HOUSE. INCLUDED IN THIS
ARE MANY PIECES OF ANTIQUE FURNITURE IN GOOD CONDI-
TION, WHICH WILL BE APPRECIATED BY COLLECTORS AND
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We mention a few of the pieces: 1 handsome mahogany bureau, 1 real
old-fashioned mirror in gold and black frame, 1 folding top card table (ma-
hogany), 1 wash stand, 1 commode, 1 old-fashioned veneered mahogany bu-
reau with mirror, 1 handsome clock, 1 small card table, 1 mahogany sofa
(haircloth seat), 6 mahogany chairs with haircloth seats, 1 old clock with
wooden works, several hard wood chairs (painted frames), a number of pieces
of antique china, several handsome old-fashioned oil lamps, 1 very old lantern
candelabra, marble base, brass standard with three branches and cut glass
pendants, 1 extension table (very old and in good condition), 2 pewter plat-
ters, 1 pewter teapot, 1 pewter coffee pot, 1 mahogany framed mirror, 1 very
beautiful antique hall lamp, 1 old-fashioned parlor table, 1 light stand, sev-
eral pieces cut glass, antique jugs, jars, bottles, etc.; carpenter's tools, used by
Mr. Osgood many years ago; pictures: 1 musket, probably carried in the
Revolution; an old style revolver; iron tongs and shovel, tongs and shovel
with brass handles, stools, stands, etc.; beds and a great quantity of bedding;
several pieces of sheeting that has never been made up; 1 good range, par-
lor stove, kitchen furniture, trunks and chests. Much of the antique furni-
ture came from the Fletcher family of Newburyport and is known to be not
less than 125 years old. Other pieces came from the Sutton house at Andov-
er, and is all very old, having been in the Osgood family for several genera-
tions.

The sale will start promptly at 9 o'clock, Tuesday morning, and con-
tinue until all is sold.
The premises will be open for inspection of goods after 9 a. m. Monday.
EZRA E. MANSUR, Auctioneer.

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6 O'CLOCK IS FAR REACHING

Settlement of B. & O. Controversy is Quite Important

BALTIMORE, Md., March 12.—The settlement of the controversy of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and the officers of that road relative to wages and service conditions reached last night, it is understood to be of far-reaching importance. When President Willard, as a final report called upon the federal board of mediation composed under the Erdman act, of Chairman Knapp of the Interstate commerce commission and Commissioner of Labor, to take up the matter of the differences between the railroad and those of its employees, represented by the Order of Conductors, and the Brotherhood of Trainmen, it was recognized that the controversy was one which could not be settled by the conduct of the Baltimore & Ohio system. It has been tacitly understood that whatever was done by the Baltimore & Ohio would be taken as the basis of settlement by all other roads interested in a similar manner. These include practically all railroads of the Mississippi river, the Canadian Pacific and the Grand Trunk employees have already voted and have already declared in favor of a strike if those roads do not decide from their position. The negotiations on the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern have been broken off. The men of the Delaware & Hudson are now being pulled and negotiations are now on with the New Haven system. These negotiations, it is said, will be followed by similar ones by most if not all the roads in the eastern section of the country. The terms of settlement effected by the good offices of Mr. Knapp were not disclosed. Both sides made material concessions. The settlement does not bring the men in the vast to a par with the railroad men in the west, but it represents a substantial increase in their earnings and what the measure highly, it seems to insure the standardization of wages. By mutual agreement the question of double-header freight trains, the abolition of which the men ask, was laid aside for settlement in conjunction with other roads. Presidents Garretts and Lee of the two organizations, representing the men, are busy today preparing a statement to be sent out to the members of their organization, showing just what has been gained in the fight just closed.

NEW HAVEN ROAD

Will Not Oppose the
Grand Trunk

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Mar. 12.—The prospects for the extension of the Grand Trunk system to Providence appear much brighter than they have been at any time in the opinion of business men. The business community expressed surprise today that the New York, New Haven & Hartford has agreed not to oppose the Canadian road's application for a charter, which is to be acted upon shortly by the Rhode Island legislature. Next Tuesday, when the legislative committee on corporations resumes its hearings on the application, President Mellen of the New Haven road will probably attend. It is considered necessary after the statement made at the session late yesterday by Vice President Buckland. Speaking for the New Haven road, Mr. Buckland said:

"I wish to say that if the proposed charter to be granted the New England & Providence road, the New Haven & Hartford will not oppose it. It is a reputable, solvent corporation to enter Rhode Island it would be useless and foolish for me to attempt to stop it, for it would be so obviously for the interests of the state of Rhode Island."

BRACELET FOUND

IT WAS PICKED UP IN A
GUTTER

NEW YORK, March 12.—Mrs. Edward T. H. Talmage of Tuxedo has recovered a desirable link bracelet, with sapphire setting, said to be worth \$500, which was missing for four days. It was found by a laborer, who received a reward of \$200.

Mrs. Talmage has an apartment at the Gotham. She drove from the hotel last Friday in a taxi cab to the United States building, at Twenty-second street and Fourth avenue. When she reached the building, she noticed a bracelet missing. After she left, a laborer in a newspaper, describing the bracelet and offering a reward of \$200. Nothing was heard of it until Wednesday, when a man roughly dressed presented himself at the jeweler's, produced the bracelet and received the reward.

According to the story current yesterday the man was working in an excavation in Fourth avenue near Twenty-eighth street when his glance was attracted by something glittering in the gutter. He made a dash for it, put it in his pocket and then watched the man go. All the other Fourth avenue diggers are on the lookout for diamonds now.

PLEADS GUILTY

Pommerleau Held in
\$600 For Burglary

Judge Pitman presided over the police court this morning and disposed of the morning's docket in 15 minutes.

There were five drunks.

A clean looking man who was arrested last week and who appeared in court when the trial came up for drunkenness, came down from the dock this morning where he has been recovering from the effects of his prolonged spree for the past several days and was given a sentence of one month in jail, suspended for three months. When arrested he had \$85 in his pockets and the roll was returned to him this morning.

John Pommerleau charged with breaking and entering the store of Fred Timmons and who came back from New York last evening and gave himself up pleaded guilty of breaking and entering and was held in \$600 for his appearance before the superior criminal court on Tuesday.

REV. MR. WARD

IS CONDUCTING A CAMPAIGN IN
ERIE, PA.

Rev. Charles S. Ward, who conducted the Y. M. C. A. campaign in this city, is now in Erie, Pa., conducting a campaign for \$500,000 for the campaign in Erie, Pa. and Woonsocket.

Mr. Ward led a campaign in Birmingham, Ala., where \$275,000 was secured in 12 days, \$63,000 of this amount being for the Y. M. C. A.

In Cleveland the amount of \$540,000 was secured and then \$100,000 for the Y. M. C. A.

AUTO SMOKE

OBJECTED TO BY NEW YORK
WOMEN

NEW YORK, March 12.—Headed by Miss Katherine Day, chairman of the street committee of the Woman's Municipal league, a delegation of women attended a public hearing yesterday by the committee on laws and legislation of the board of aldermen on the pending ordinance making it an offense to allow the emission of "smoke" from automobiles.

Miss Day said that smoking automobiles endangered women and children crossing streets by blinding them and placing them in peril of being run over. Mrs. John Rogers of the hygiene committee of the Federation of Women's clubs insisted that public health demanded restriction on the belching of fumes from automobiles.

Others who spoke in favor of the proposed ordinance were Charles J. Campbell of the Hotel Men's association, Dr. Holbrook Curtis, Col. Crosby of the National Highway Protective association, Frederick G. Cook, president of the Fifth Avenue association, and John Coleman of the West End association.

It is understood that the ordinance will be reported favorably by the committee.

THE PATTEN INCIDENT

LIVERPOOL, March 12.—The James A. Patten incident at the Manchester cotton exchange yesterday has stirred up considerable feeling among the brokers there, between whom and the Liverpool brokers there is much jealousy. The local business men are anxious to disassociate themselves from a suspicion of complicity in the insult and expulsion which followed the appearance of the Chicago speculator on the floor of the cotton exchange.

A Liverpool merchant today received from New York this cable message:

"The report of the treatment of Patten at Manchester is a disgraceful and disgraceful insult to the friendship for America. World brotherhood is guilty of this. Patten is one of America's purest men. The recipient of the insult is repelled thus."

Liverpool resents the Manchester treatment of Patten. The best Manchester men are ashamed and personally feel the indignity strongly."

TILLMAN STILL IMPROVING

WASHINGTON, March 12.—While there has been decided improvement in the condition of Senator Tillman of South Carolina, who was recently stricken with paralysis, he is far from being his former self and is under the constant care of his physician. The report that he will be taken to his home in South Carolina in the course of the next few days is not true, it will be some time before his condition will permit of his removal from the city.

Senator Tillman is able to get out of bed for a while every day, but he has not control of his body. He can talk, but indulges in little conversation. The improvement in his condition has been very encouraging and his friends believe that after a year's rest he may be able to return to the senate.

PASTOR MILLER DEAD

ST. JOHN, N. B., March 12.—Rev. Mr. Miller, pastor of the Baptist church at Jonestown, N. B., died in that town today, aged 61 years. Mr. Miller came here 10 years ago from Groton, where he was pastor of the local church. For a time he was grand chaplain of the Connecticut Order of Odd Fellows. He is survived by a widow and four children.

THIS WINTER USE HODD'S LOTION

and you will use it all the time. Best for all weather effects on the skin. Get it today. 25c or 50c.

Dyspeptics

under such a mint, are not a strong alkali—no bad effect attends their continued use. They quickly sweeten sour stomach, stop belching, relieve heartburn, nausea, seasickness, also sleeplessness from indigestion, 10 or 15c. Remember the name, Dyspeptics.

ENGINEER DAVIS AT MEN'S RETREAT

Testified at the Ballinger-Pinchot Hearing Today

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Chief Engineer A. P. Davis of the reclamation service, who yesterday flatly denied the truth of many statements made by Secretary Ballinger to President Taft and others, continued today as the witness before the Ballinger-Pinchot investigating committee.

Mr. Davis when adjournment was taken yesterday was telling of interviews he had had with Secretary Ballinger concerning the work of reclamation service.

Chief Engineer Davis was questioned further. He declared that the interior department head had continued to constantly criticize the reclamation service and that within the last week had told the witness he thought the salaries paid in the service were too high and that he proposed a new salary scale. Mr. Davis declared that the department head had persisted in that Director Newell was slated to go.

The witness referred further to the enmity against the service in some communities in the west. Senator Sutherland sought to show that much of the dissatisfaction was due to the fact that on some projects the original estimate of the cost of water had been increased from 20 to a final charge of \$30 an acre. Mr. Davis admitted that this might be the cause of some of the discontent.

The engineers of the reclamation service ought to have the earnest support of the secretary of the interior. He did not feel that Secretary Ballinger had given his support to them. Mr. Pepper read into the record a letter recently addressed to the house committee on ways and means by Secretary Ballinger in support of the \$300,000 bond issue for reclamation work. In this letter Secretary Ballinger spoke of the hardships which had resulted to settlers on some of the projects where co-operation agreements had been entered into by former Secretary Garfield. He also claimed that inducements had been held out to settlers to come on the land. Mr. Davis contradicted practically every statement in the Ballinger letter. The witness related the so-called Black Tent affair. He declared that under orders of Sec'y Ballinger, E. T. Perkins of the Chicago office of the reclamation service went through the west lecturing in a black tent to advertise reclamation work. Service officials learned that Perkins in addition to getting a salary of \$3200 a year was receiving an allowance of \$300 a month from the Harriman railroad lines. The Hill lines protested that Perkins was coming into their territory and lecturing about projects on the Harriman lines. Mr. Davis said he recommended Perkins' dismissal. Director Newell did not agree to this at first but later wrote to Perkins and in a polite way requested his resignation. Sec'y Ballinger recommended Newell for interfering in a matter which was being personally conducted by him.

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AID OF COURT

Has Been Invoked by the International Paper Co.

SARATOGA, N. Y., March 12.—The aid of the courts was invoked today by the International Paper Co. to protect its property and the strike breakers who are in the mills. Attorneys for the company secured a temporary injunction from Justice Van Kirk in this village, restraining Jeremiah Carey, president of the Papermakers' union, and all the unions now on strike from intimidating or interfering with the men employed or who may be employed by the company. The injunction is a sweeping one and enjoins all picketing and patrolling. According to the terms of the order it will be in effect until March 19, 1910, when argument will be heard in Plattsburgh. The temporary injunction was granted on voluminous affidavits from deputy sheriffs and employees of the company to the effect that there had been disorder among the strikers; that attempts have been made to dynamite the mills; and that the company has experienced trouble in bringing in strike breakers. Copies of the injunction or orders were served today upon the presidents of the unions and the employees of the company who are on strike at Corinth.

Another trainload of 150 strike breakers was sent to the Corinth mills of the company this noon. No disorder marked their arrival in the northern village. More strike breakers will follow Monday. In the belief that but one company of militia is now required at Corinth, Sheriff Washburn will today request Major Vott in charge of the National guard in that village to withdraw Companies C and F of Schenectady within the next 48 hours.

KILLED BY SON

New York Woman Was Attacked
by Her Son

NEW YORK, March 12.—Charles E. Reade, Jr., a bricklayer out of a job, who was formerly a building contractor at 255 Columbus avenue, Manhattan, pounded his mother, Mrs. Sarah Jane Reade, to death with a small four-legged footstool yesterday at her home, 373 South street, Jersey City. The matricide was the culmination of a month's spree and an outbreak of insanity. Reade was arrested seven hours after the crime and readily admitted that he killed his mother, but said that he couldn't tell why.

Edward Hagen, a greener, of 457 Central avenue, called at the house, a two-story and basement frame structure, for orders early in the afternoon and failed to get any response to his ring. He returned at 10 o'clock and finding the basement door unlocked walked in. He almost stumbled across Mrs. Reade's body as he lay face downward in a pool of blood on the dining room floor. Hagen telephoned to Roundabout Times Square at the sixth precinct station and as soon as the officers were notified the situation the cops scattered in all directions on a still hunt for Mrs. Reade's son. Half an hour later Detective Sergeant Tom Moran while prowling from saloon to saloon ran across Reade just as he walked out of a saloon at Cambridge avenue and Congress street.

"Yes, I killed mother about 5 o'clock this morning," he said, "and I have been wandering around ever since."

Mrs. Reade's body was taken to Hughes' mortuary, where a bag containing many old receipts and two bank checks which had been around her waist, Mrs. Reade's neighbors say that she seldom stirred out of doors and several considered her "nutty." Her son, Stephen Reade, has been in an insane asylum at Snake Hill for several or eight years. Her husband, Charles

INDICTMENTS AGAINST ALL FIVE

Lowell Defendants

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A STATUE

MAY BE ERECTED TO MEMORY OF
NEWSPAPER MAN

WASHINGTON, March 12.—If a bill introduced in the house yesterday by Representative Douglas of Ohio becomes a law a statue will be erected in Washington to Januarius Aloysius MacGahan, a newspaper man whose successful efforts in behalf of the Bulgarians earned for him the title of "The Liberator of the Bulgarians." Mr. Douglas' bill provides for an appropriation of \$20,000.

MacGahan reported to the world the facts connected with the Turkish atrocities in Bulgaria. His reports aroused the interests of Gladstone, who took up the cause of the Bulgarians and encouraged them to declare war with Turkey. The expression of Gladstone's influence resulted in the recognition of Bulgaria's freedom from Turkey by the Berlin congress of 1878. The Bulgarians celebrate his memory every year with a requiem mass.

NEW PASSENGER SERVICE

BERLIN, March 12.—The Hamburg-American steamship line has decided to open a trans-Atlantic passenger service to southern ports of the United States in consequence of the rapid development of these ports. The headquarters of this service will be at New Orleans and there will be monthly sailings.

Harkins' Factory

912 GORHAM ST.
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Rev. George I. Nolan, O. M. I., Gave an Eloquent Sermon on the Mercy of God — Retreat Will Close Tomorrow Night

Another large congregation of men attended the evening service in connection with the retreat for men at the Immaculate Conception church last night, and Rev. George I. Nolan, O. M. I., the zealous pastor, who is personally conducting the retreat, took occasion to compliment the men on their faithful attendance throughout the week. He urged all to continue to the end and make the crowning sacrifice by attending the closing service at which the papal blessing will be given tomorrow evening. "The eyes are now turned to the eyes of the Father rather than to the eyes of the Son," he explained the importance of receiving the papal blessing to which is attached a plenary indulgence. Confessions will be heard today until the last man has been heard, and in making this announcement he said that he was sure that the eyes of the Father are now turned to the eyes of the Son, and he pointed out the difference between perfect and imperfect contrition.

The subject of Fr. Nolan's sermon last evening was the "Mercy of God," and he spoke in part as follows: "During the past few days we have meditated on the great eternal truths and our hearts have been filled with fear and dread of judgment. We have also been filled with fear lest we should forfeit our right to heaven. We have meditated on the mercy of God and the consequences and we have been struck by the fact that but for the mercy of God what an abyss of despair would confront us. Therefore, I purpose tonight to place before you the excessive mercy of God. I will be happy if I can arouse in your hearts some sentiments of love and hope. God is loving and he will forgive. God loves the sinner, but he hates sin. The sinner daunts himself through his own conscience and not through God. He holds out his arm ever ready to receive us, but if we refuse to be abandoned to our own way, 'I am not come to destroy, I came to save,' saith the Lord and he forgave them that shut him out of his own city. Throughout the scriptures we find beautiful instances of the wonderful mercy of God. Take the familiar parable of the Good Shepherd and the one lost sheep. The shepherd is more rejoicing in heaven over one sinner doing penance than over 99 just doing penance."

Fr. Nolan then in a series of most beautiful word pictures gave instances of God's mercy beginning with the attempt of the sinner to escape from the Saviour bringing before him an adulteress reminding him of the law of Moses that provided that she should be stoned to death and with impressive dramatic fervor the preacher repeated the familiar words of the scripture: "But Jesus stooped down and with his

finger he wrote on the ground as though he heard them not. So when they continued asking Him, He lifted himself up and said unto them: 'He that is without sin among you, let him cast the first stone.' And again he stooped down and wrote upon the ground. And they which heard it being conscious by their own consciences went out one by one beginning at the eldest even to the youngest and Jesus was left alone, and the woman standing in the midst. When Jesus had lifted him up and saw none but the woman he said unto her: 'Woman doth no man condemn thee?'

"She said: 'No, Lord.' And Jesus said unto her: 'Neither do I condemn thee: Go thee hence and sin no more.'"

Fr. Nolan then emphasized the mercy of God in the beautiful story of Mary Magdalen, who washed the feet of Jesus and those of Peter the disciple. He told his Lord, and then dwelt eloquently upon the supreme instance of the mercy of God when Christ, dying on the cross at Calvary, cried out to heaven, "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do."

"Christ is the same God of love to-day that he was when he gave his life for the redemption of man," continued the preacher. "The mercy of God is not strained today. There is mercy for us if we humble ourselves by a good and true confession. Be faithful to the resolutions made at confession and the mercy of God will be obtained. Avoid sin and not only sin itself but the occasion of sin, and make frequent visits to the altar. Seek God in the tribunal of penance and do not abuse his mercy and in departing hence from this mission keep ever in mind the words I have repeated to you, 'Go thee hence and sin no more.'"

At the 9 o'clock mass in addition to the congregational singing Mr. Andrew McCarthy, baritone soloist of St. Patrick's choir, will sing "Saint-Saens' 'O Salutaris.'"

French Missions Close

The Lenten missions which have been conducted for the past four weeks at St. Joseph's and St. Jean Baptiste churches by Rev. Frs. Pierre and Bonaventura of the Capuchin order, will close tomorrow. The married men's mission, the last, will close tomorrow night.

A general mission, for all the parishioners, will open at the same time at St. Mary's, South Lowell. Rev. Fr. Arthur Berneche, O. M. I., will be the preacher.

At St. Jean Baptiste church on Wednesday night, a children's mission will open. For the children below 16 years having made their first communion. Rev. Fr. Gustave Berneche, O. M. I., will be the preacher.

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BADLY INJURED

Joseph Lafage, about 40 years old, fell from the top of a building to the ground this forenoon and was badly injured. Lafage was in the employ of Contractor Bibeault and was working on a building in Howard street. He fell from the roof of the building and it was at first thought that he was killed. The ambulance was summoned and he was removed to the Lowell hospital. It was stated at the hospital that the man was badly injured and the doctors were not sure that his injuries would not prove fatal.

STRANGE BEAST AT ZOO

NEW YORK, March 12.—Up in the Bronx zoo they have a new beast, but cannot place it. It may be a wolverine or a marmoset—species of rare monkeys.

Two days ago the zoo was called upon by a dealer in animals near the Battery who said he had an animal for sale. He thought it might be a monkey. He wanted \$50 for it. He got the beast from some sailors on a ship that arrived a week ago from Africa.

The authorities bought the specimen and Dr. W. Reed Blair, the zoo veterinarian, has it in the animal hospital. The animal experts can't decide whether it is a wolverine or a marmoset or a lion and a long tail.

LATEST BRAVERY DISPLAYED

At a Tenement House Fire in New York

NEW YORK, March 12.—Police and firemen had a hard fight yesterday afternoon at a fire in a five-story tenement at 104 Forsyth street. The police started the rescue work, but were over- come before they had finished it and had to be taken out by the firemen. Two policemen went to Gouverneur hospital.

The fire started in the flat of Mrs. Sarah Riebelman on the second floor. The tenement is almost directly in the rear of the Eldridge street police station and the men on reserve who were playing handball in the yard saw the smoke and heard the cries of the tenants before the alarm was sent in. Six of them, Martin Owens, August Schimp, George Little, Lemman, Stanford and Murphy, ran up to the section room, climbed out through the window and across on the top of a brick wall to the rear of the burning tenement.

The flames were shooting from the windows of the second and third floors when Owens and Schimp pulled themselves up to the fire escape and clambered up the ladders. They were badly sliced on the way up.

Stanford and Little detached the ladders from the next building and climbed up on the outside of the railings. Even at that distance from the windows Little's hand was scorched.

Owens and Schimp had climbed through a window on the third floor. The hallway was so filled with smoke that they had to grope their way to a door behind which they heard cries. The door was locked and no one time was lost before it was opened. Inside they found Mrs. Minnie Brennsilber and her two children, Rose, two years old, and Isidore, four.

Escape by way of the fire escape was cut off and the two policemen started to carry the frightened family up the stairs to the fourth floor. Owens heard some one in the room across the hall and taking the boy in his arms he went back. He found Mrs. Rose Plitzer, 60 years old, and started back up the stairs with her and the boy. At the top of the stairs they found Schimp and his two charges overcome by smoke.

Owens kept on, intending to get Mrs. Plitzer and the boy to a window and go back for the others. He, too, fell within a few feet of the window, and it was Mrs. Plitzer who staggered to the well- come air and hung across the window sill, with Isidore under her arm. There the firemen found them, and just as they reached her her hold relaxed and the boy would have fallen four stories down the shaft had they not caught him.

When Hook and Ladder 6 pulled up the hallway of the tenement was choked with smoke and Capt. Walsh led his men—Hannagan, Winrich, Bugeln, Hartman and Heinrichs—up the fire escape to the roof. Using their six foot hooks to swing from the six firemen dropped twenty-five feet to the roof of 106 Eldridge street, the Jewish synagogue.

The firemen pulled Mrs. Plitzer and Isidore across the shaft to safety and then Hannagan and Winrich, both medal men, went in and found Owens lying on the floor. They brought him out to the roof of the synagogue, and his first words sent them back again: "Get the others. There are three more in there!" he gasped.

Buggeln, Hartman and Heinrichs, with Capt. Walsh, ret their way to the landing at the head of the stairs, where they found Schimp, Mrs. Brennsilber and Rose. The woman and girl had partly recovered from their dose of smoke, as they were next to the door and shielded by the policeman's body, but Schimp was still unconscious.

The four other policemen after making sure that no one was left in the building got to the roof of the synagogue in time to help the firemen give first aid treatment to the injured.

By the time Dr. E. J. Conner had arrived from Gouverneur hospital they were all conscious. He bandaged Policeman Little's burned hand and took Schimp and Owens to the hospital. They were burned about the faces, bodies and legs. Their condition is not regarded as serious.

An hour's work put out the fire, with about \$1,000 damage. The northbound Second Avenue cars were stalled for that length of time.

RULING OF COURT MISS BLOODGOOD

Annuls Many Marriages Believed to be Hiding in New York

NEW YORK, March 12.—More than three thousand couples in New York City believe themselves to be married, but are in reality living together as husbands and wives without the legal right to do so.

This condition of affairs was brought to light yesterday by a decision handed down in the appellate division of the supreme court by Justice Nathan Miller. The ruling held that even the written consent of the parents authorizing a boy and girl under the legal marriageable age to wed does not make the wedding legal.

About 70,000 marriage licenses are issued each year at the city hall, and of this number nearly two per cent. are obtained by persons under the legal age, on the written consent of their parents or guardians—or an average of 1,400 each year.

The act amending the domestic relations law by providing for marriage licenses went into effect on July 28, 1907, or a little more than two and one-half years ago.

The specific instance which has called for the court's decision was the suit of Annie Kruger, married two years ago, to have her union with Henry Kruger annulled. The supreme court refused to grant her petition and she appealed to the appellate division.

Justice Miller's decision, reversing the lower court and annulling the wedding, is based on section 174 of the Code of Civil Procedure. This section does not take into account the item of written consent on the part of the parents, but states flatly that a marriage is absolutely void from the moment it is declared by a competent court if the parties thereto are under eighteen years of age.

The ruling calls attention to the incongruity of the law, under which three thousand couples are living in the belief that they are man and wife, in the following language:

"It must be noted that the statute (the one governing matrimony in New York) is incongruous. By one section a marriage is absolutely void from the time its nullity is declared by a court of competent jurisdiction if either party thereto is under the age of eighteen years. By another section, town and city clerks are apparently permitted to issue marriage licenses to such persons if their parents consent. While the incongruity ought to be corrected by the legislature, we can only deal with the statute as we find it."

BRYAN'S FRIENDS OUSTED OUT OF OFFICE IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 12.—William M. Hoge and Comptroller Prendergast ran a close race yesterday. Hoge won by an inch, getting his resignation into the hands of the comptroller's secretary just as the comptroller signed a notice of dismissal. Hoge's victory resulted in the publication of his long letter of resignation, while the comptroller's notice of dismissal was not published.

"He gave me his notice of dismissal," Hoge said, "and I gave him mine. He said to me, 'What's the use?' and I said, 'Prendergast, when asked about Hoge's charge that his work was being interfered with, and that the comptroller had refused to allow him to inspect 2500 bags bought for his office at a cost of \$493 for the renovation of the finance department."

"I bought the rugs," said Prendergast. "Here, they are on the floor. They are not in the homes of any official of the department, and what is paid for them is paid for them and bought from a house which heretofore has refused to sell to the city because of the long delays in collecting bills."

Hoge was in charge of the bureau of inspection, charged with the examination of all supplies bought by the city. He was named in charge of the bureau by Comptroller Metz last summer. His first act was to issue an order to use nothing bought with public money until his subordinates had inspected it.

Henry Smith, commissioner of parks, protested against the order on the ground that it interfered with his department's daily business. It could not be promptly received.

Harry W. Walker's resignation as secretary of the auditor's commission was accepted yesterday. Hoge and Walker have been William J. Bryan's chief press agents in New York since 1896.

FUNERAL NOTICE

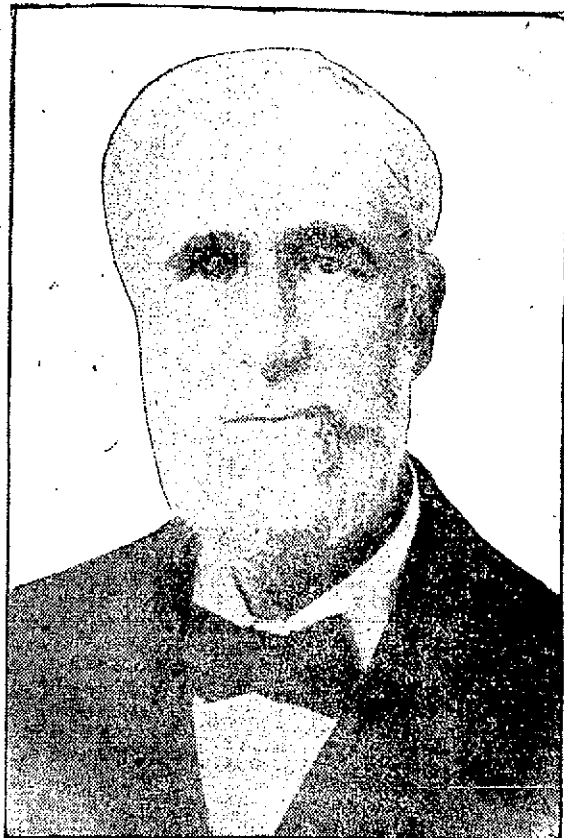
ROBINSON.—Died in this city, March 11, Mr. Henry H. Robinson, aged 46 years, 8 mos., 15 days. Funeral services will be held from his late residence, 37 June street, on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers J. B. Currier Co.

FIRE LOSSES IN MAINE.

AUGUSTA, Me., March 12.—Losses incurred by the insurance companies of other states in Maine the past year amounted to \$1,526,403 and were 77.35 per cent. of the premiums collected according to a preliminary report today by State Insurance Commissioner Beecher Putnam. The amount of risks written by these companies during the year was \$478,667,431.

TABLET, wanted at once. Apply 53 Lee st.

REV. J. M. GREENE



REV. J. M. GREENE, D. D.
Pastor Emeritus Eliot Church.

Is Eighty Years Old Today— Honored by Friends

Today marks the 80th anniversary of the birth of that scholarly, benevolent and venerable man, Rev. John M. Greene, D. D., pastor emeritus of the Eliot Congregational church. Dr. Greene makes his home with his daughters, Misses Helen and Louise, at 104 Forsyth street, where he is coming to Lowell tomorrow and will be present at the memorial service in the

DEATH REPORT

With Causes Assigned for the Past Week

The report of deaths for the week ending March 12, 1910, with causes assigned, is as follows:

Gertrude Neville, 27, nephritis.
John R. Batchelder, 57, carb. hypertrophy.
Margaret Magee, 65, disease of heart.
John W. Kennedy, 44, myocarditis.
Eliar Duchene, 35, pulm. tuber.
Leola F. Jones, 34, acute peritonitis.
Leroy J. Slater, 5, scarlat fever.
Tadous Kuruski, 2 mos., bronchitis.
William R. Edwards, 62, myocarditis.
Ella C. Ripley, 56, carcinoma of liver.
Mary Vanner, 39, enteritis.
Hector Emond, 24 days, cong. debility.
Susan E. DeLescluze, 72, art. sclerotic.
Louis Bastien, 26, endocarditis.
Sazroula Sioit, 7 mos., pneumonia.
Joseph Levesque, 1 hour, debility.
Mary A. Berkett, 61, disease of heart.
Ann M. Brady, 61, endocarditis.
James D. Haley, 53, ch. bronchitis.
Lizzie Packer, 57 days, pneumonia.
James S. McKay, 53, disease of heart.
Berl St. Clair, 29, accident.
Estelle Phaneuf, 3, diphtheria.
Marie A. Boisvert, 5 mos., measles.
William J. Duffy, 7 days, convulsions.
Joseph L. R. Levesque, 1 day, atelectasis.
Odeleu Lottinville, 75, cor. hem.
Annie M. Pettie, 43, pulm. hem.
Angelina Mello, 2, diphtheria.
Antoinette Savaris, 8 mos., bronchitis.
Charles E. Stuart, 5 mos., hydrocephalus.
Charles A. Provancher, 1 mo., cong. debility.
William East, 1, bronchitis.
Clara Whiting, 31, valvular dis. of heart.
Ellen Jonathan, 62, carcinoma.
Arthur Pratt, 22, malarial infus.
Joseph T. Perreault, 5, scarlatina.
Joseph E. Brown, 7 days, marasmus.
Martha M. Buttrick, 75, cor. hem.
Catherine E. Leslie, 67, diabetes.
Irene Morin, 1, pneumonia.
John Smith, 61, cor. apoplexy.
Mary R. McManis, 51, pneumonia.
Christopher Marler, 10 mos., gastroenteritis.
Clara P. Dadman, City Clerk.

BIT BURGLAR MAN WAS ATTACKED BY A MAID

OLYMPHANT, Pa., March 12.—A burglar who entered the home of Charles Ginzler last night is now nursing a badly bitten finger. He had ransacked several rooms and collected some jewelry and silver and then entered the room of Anna Jones, a maid employed by the family.

Anna awakened as he entered, and he tried to prevent her screaming by placing his hand over her mouth.

She got one of his fingers between her teeth, and he did the screaming. He managed to tear his finger away and dashed out of the house, leaving his booty behind.

PATTEN COMING HOME

LIVERPOOL, March 12.—James Patten, the wheat speculator, sailed for New York today on the steamer Mauritania.

FUNERALS

BERKETT.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Berkett took place yesterday afternoon from her home, 40 Warnock street, Rev. John T. Ullom, officiating. A quartet composed of Miss Mary Green, Miss Hazel Judkins, Mr. Elmer Olson and W. G. Parker sang "Lead Kindly Light," "Nearer, My God, to Thee," and "Shall We Meet Beyond the River?"

The following floral tributes were received from the large host of friends of the deceased: "Wife" from the husband; wreath, "Mother" from the children; basket cut flowers, grandchildren; wreath, "Sleeping," Mr. Elmer Olson; wreaths, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McKee, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Judge, Mr. and Mrs. James Hamilton and Miss Hazel Judkins, White Apron club, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowen, Spooling room, Walsh mill, Robert Catherwood and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. Spencer and Miss Annie Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas England, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dowrey, Mr. and Mrs. John Stanhope, Albert Stanhope, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Wilde and Mrs. Mary England, Frank L. Gallison of Lawrence, pillow, Alpha Social club; sprays, Mr. and Mrs. Lutes of Medford; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Adler, Mr. and Mrs. Matthews of Tewksbury; Mr. and Mrs. K. D. McKinnon, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. Michael McDermott, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harmon, Frederick Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. William Hall, Mr. and Mrs. John McCord, Stead children, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Regan, Miss Anna McDougall and Helen McElroy, Mr. and Mrs. George Quinn, Mr. and Mrs. Shore and Mrs. Whitney and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. Birtwell, Mrs. James Miller and Jesse and Joseph; Daisy and Sadie Midgeley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Livingston, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leith and Miss G. Black; cut flowers, Mr. and Mrs. James Stead, Mr. and Mrs. H. Dinmore of Tewksbury, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Parker and Mrs. H. S. Parker; sheaf of wheat, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rudden, Mr. and Mrs. A. Chapman, Jr.; violets, Dr. O. P. Porter. The bearers were Robert Catherwood, Charles Judge, George Dowrey and Henry Robertshaw. Arrangements were in charge of W. G. Parker and burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

LESLIE.—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine E. Leslie took place from her home, 17 Arthur street, yesterday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. George E. Deane, pastor of St. Paul's A. E. church. The body was sent this morning to Oxford, N. H., where burial will take place. The J. B. Currier company had charge of the arrangements.

MAHONEY.—The funeral of the late Jeremiah S. Mahoney took place this morning at 9:30 o'clock from his home, Main street, Billerica Centre, and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Andrew's church, North Billerica, where at 10 o'clock a mass of requiem was celebrated, Rev. Edward Fox, O. M. I. officiating. The choir under the direction of Mr. Charles E. Fairbrother sang the Gregorian mass, and at the offertory Mr. Fairbrother sang "Pie Jesu." At the conclusion of mass "De Profundis" was rendered. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes, including a wreath on base inscribed "Brother" from the family; pillow inscribed "Unseen" from the Reardon family; "Unseen" from Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barry; pillow, "At Rest," dye from of Talbot mills; spray with ribbon inscribed "Cousin," Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mealey; sprays, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Baril, Misses Grace and Annie Elliott, Miss Edna and Gerald, Mr. and Mrs. L. Buckley, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Bennett Holden, Jr.; bouquet of violets, Mr. and Mrs. Treffy; spray from neighbors; spray, Talbot mills. The bearers were Daniel A. Reardon, Elias D. Hanson, John McArthur, Finley Joseph C. Earl and W. Smith, Treffy. At the grave Rev. J. Fox read the committal prayers, and the burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

LADD.—The body of Mrs. Emily Ladd was taken to Damariscotta, Me., Wednesday morning, and burial took place in the family lot in the cemetery there. Owing to the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Isabelle Shorey, there were no services held at the house, but in Damariscotta funeral services were held in the Methodist church there, of which she was a member. There were many floral offerings, among them being the following: A large pillow of white rose buds, ferns and lilies, inscribed "Dear Mother," Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Shorey; large crescent of pink and ferns, inscribed "Farewell, Grandmother," Mr. and Mrs. Clarence B. Shorey, Plymouth, N. H.; star of tea roses, inscribed "Good-Bye, Grandma," Master Sumner B. Shorey, Isabelle Shorey and Master Herbert Shorey of Plymouth, great-grandchildren of the deceased; large standing cross, relatives in Maine; large spray of callas, inscribed "Sympathy," Mrs. James McGrath, Lowell; spray of white pinks, Clara and Annie Roberts, Lowell; standing heart on base, neighbors in Damariscotta, Me.; large star of tea roses, neighbors in the Highlands, Lowell; large wreath of ivy leaves and pinks, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Young; spray of sweet peas and white roses, friends. Deceased is survived by one daughter, one grandson, Clarence B. Shorey and three grandchildren. C. M. Young was the funeral director.

EXPRESS TUBE

TO BE BUILT FROM NEW YORK TO BROOKLYN

NEW YORK, March 12.—A delegation of Brooklyn bankers called upon the public service commission yesterday to urge the importance of digging an additional tunnel under the East River from city hall, Manhattan, to Borough Hall, with a station near Pineapple and Henry.

Theodore F. Miller, president of the Brooklyn Trust company, said as spokesman: "We need a tunnel for an express route from city hall to Borough Hall and we need it without delay. The interborough tubes cannot possibly accommodate the traffic when the Fourth Avenue and Lafayette Avenue subways are completed."

Among those who accompanied Mr. Miller were Frank Hanley, vice-president of the Title Guarantee and Trust company; Charles A. Boody, president of the Peoples Trust company; H. B. Shears, president of the Borough Savings bank; and W. E. Edmister, president of the Hamilton Trust company; George W. Chauncey, president of the Mechanics bank; Bryan H. Smith, president of the Brooklyn Savings bank; and D. C. Underhill, president of the Brooklyn bank.

The commission promised to consider the suggestion immediately.

MARY MANNERING, ACTRESS, HAS BOUGHT \$500,000 ESTATE



CHICAGO, March 12.—The myriad friends of Mary Mannering in this city were greatly interested in the report that the famous actress had purchased the estate, said to be worth \$500,000, of the late James H. Eckels in Wisconsin. A recent interview with Miss Mannering, who has been separated from her actor husband, James K. Hackett, quoted her saying to her little daughter, "Some day we are going to have a home of our very own near a beautiful lake, and baby is going to have a wing all for her own." The Eckels house is beautifully situated near a lake, and it is thought that Miss Mannering had it in mind when she made the statement. The deal for the house was practically closed several weeks ago when she was playing in Milwaukee, it is believed.

GEN'L COSSATO ENGLISH PRESS

Wounded in Duel, Will Extends No Sympathy to Patten

ROME, March 12.—The honor of every one concerned having been vindicated in the two duels fought by Eugenio Chiesa, the republican deputy of Milan, the other three engagements of the offending party were called off yesterday.

In the chamber of deputies last Friday, Chiesa, who has a reputation both as a duelist and a debater who does not mince his words, addressed an interrogation to the government concerning what he described as the influence of the Austrian Baroness Siemens on the Italian army by reason of her acquaintance with the late Lieut. Gen. Tancredi Salluta, subsequently with Gen. di Cossato, the commander of the grand manoeuvres, and who is said to be engaged to marry the baroness.

Gen. Prudente, under secretary of war, refused to reply, whereupon Chiesa was roundly abused by Chiesa, who took occasion also to mention that the Duchess Litta had been a great favorite with the late King Humbert. Count Giacomo Morand, a nephew of the duchess, boxed Chiesa's ears and then challenged the latter to combat.

Gen. Prudente also sent his seconds to Chiesa, as did Gen. Picca, and Gen. A. Fourch, who was a great favorite of the Duchess di Litta at Milan and a fifth from a nephew of the duchess in Berlin.

Chiesa announced his willingness to accept all comers, and on Wednesday received a prick on the chin from the sword of Gen. Prudente. Thursday, after 24 assaults, Chiesa put his mark on the cheek of Gen. Picca di Cossato, and yesterday it was decided that every one was satisfied.

Baroness Siemens arrived from Berlin yesterday and will soon be en route back to her normal health, and it is reported that the two will be married soon. The general is 69 years of age and the baroness 42.

MAN MISSING

NASHUA FAMILY HAS BEEN LEFT DESTITUTE

NASHUA, N. H., March 12.—Taking \$2 from his pay last Saturday night, Louis Fontaine, gunneryman, deserted from his home, 8 Portland street, to purchase a pair of rubbers, and has not been seen since. Fontaine has a wife and eight children, who are alarmed at his absence.

Fontaine is well known as a steady workman. He formerly worked for the railroad, but for a year past has been employed by Luncheon & Son at their quarry. At 9 o'clock he was seen going into a moving picture house and since then none of his family or acquaintances has seen or heard from him.

Mrs. Fontaine and the children are now in destitute circumstances and yesterday were forced to apply to the overseer of the poor for aid. The wife has implicit faith in her husband and scents any theory of intentional desertion. She believes that some accident has befallen him and suggests that he may have been drowned in the Jackson company's canal. At her request the officials of the Jackson company will be asked to draw the water today.

THE Y. W. C. A. HAS COLLECTION CAMPAIGN IN PROGRESS

The Y. W. C. A. has planned a campaign for the collection of money. The work has been organized by Mrs. J. E. Gibson, chairman of the finance committee, and the workers are divided into two teams of 18 each, under the direction of two captains from the board of directors, Mrs. Burton Wiggin and Mrs. A. F. French. No announcements are to be made of amounts secured by the two teams until the close of the campaign, March 28, when the final reports will be brought in.

NIGHT EDITION

TWO CAR SPRINKLERS

Will be Put in Operation Soon
as Possible

Cars Have Not Yet Arrived—
Lowell Will Have Three Car
Sprinklers This Year—Over
\$100,000 Paid Out of City
Treasury in Three Days—The
Finance Committee Will In-
vest Davis Fund Money for
Library—Other City Hall News

Unless there comes a hitch in present arrangements the car sprinklers will be put in operation before the last week in March. The contract reads from April 1st but the cars can be used overtime or before the time mentioned in the contract at so much per week reckoned on the basis of \$475 a month per car.

Mayor Meehan said today that he would confer with the superintendent of streets relative to getting the sprinklers out earlier than the first of April. Mr. Putnam, the superintendent of streets, says that he is willing to put the cars in operation just as soon as the contract is signed and the cars arrive. Three cars will be operated this summer instead of two as heretofore but the third car will not be used as many months as the other two. The new car will see but three months' service a year while the other two will average seven months. The contract to be signed this time will be a five year contract, which means a discount of five per cent.

In using the cars before or after the dates specified in the contract the city will have to pay by the week, as has already been explained, and if the car is used but one day the cost will be the same as for a whole week, or about \$119. Merchants and others are in favor of getting the sprinklers out as early as possible as it means much for the health of the city.

Bunch of Money
There has been paid out of the city treasury in three days during the present month the sum of \$100,647.03. On March 1 the sum of \$9788.03 was paid to city officials, call firemen, state aid and soldiers' relief. Yesterday the monthly pay roll called for \$29,512.13 and today the monthly bill draft, representing bills against the city by merchants and others was settled. It amounted to \$48,267.92.

Two New Houses
Mrs. Phoebe Dubbs has been granted a permit to build two two-family houses in Grindale avenue off Hale street. The houses will be 23 by 50 feet, two stories. The estimated cost is \$2800 each.

John Davis Fund
The committee on finance will meet

Monday afternoon at 12.15 for the purpose of investing \$6000 for the city library. The \$5000 has been earned by the John Davis fund and the city charter provides that the money shall be invested by the finance committee.

Fire Department Committee
The committee on fire department will meet Thursday night at 8 o'clock for the purpose of holding a public hearing on the petitions of the Oaklands Improvement Association and M. M. Allen and others for better fire protection in the Oaklands. The hearing will be held in the public hearing room at city hall.

To Hold Meeting
A regular meeting of the aldermen will be held next Tuesday night. The meeting will not be called before 9 o'clock as several of the members are going to attend the board of trade banquet on that evening.

Bridges in Bridge Street
The bridge over the canal in Bridge street which was to have been built last fall will be built or work will be begun within a short time. Supt. of Streets Putnam has talked with Supt. Lees of the Boston & Northern street railway and Mr. Lees told him that all the material for the bridge was on hand and that the company would get after it in a little while.

Meetings Next Week
Meetings scheduled for next week at the city hall, are as follows: Monday—Finance committee 12.15 p. m. Tuesday—Aldermen 9 p. m., committee on printing 9 p. m. Friday—Committee on streets 2 p. m.

Grade Crossings
There is prospect for early activity in the work of abolishing the grade crossings in School, Walker, Lincoln and Plain streets. It is understood that the work will begin just as soon as the weather permits. The railroad company seems very anxious to get the work underway. Mayor Meehan expects that the work will begin within a very short time.

Marriage Intentions
William Livingston, 39, grain dealer, 77 Livingston avenue, and Rena Budge, 26, at home, 14 Bertha street, and Peter P. Tierney, 25, machinist, 41 Union street, and Mary Perry, 21, at home, 452 Central street.



INCIDENTS IN THE PHILADELPHIA STRIKE.

PHILA. STRIKE

Continued

Little Change
There has been little change during the last few days in the general strike situation. The number of men who went out in response to the walkout order is still in dispute. Employers hope that next Monday will see a breaking up in the sympathetic strike. Many large establishments state that their employees have notified them that they will return to work on Monday. The hokey who said that their 150 mills this week, will re-open Monday morning and they expect that a majority of their 25,000 idle employees will return.

The strike leaders say they look for no break and express confidence that the men who went out in sympathy with the car men will stand firm. The committee of ten has announced that if the strike is not ended within 48 hours a general movement will be started among the men who obeyed the general strike order to demand better conditions in their various occupations. How far this movement will go cannot be predicted.

PRES. GOMPERS IS SILENT
ON NATION-WIDE STRIKE

WASHINGTON, March 12.—"In regard to the extension of the strike from Philadelphia to the state of Pennsylvania or to the country, I do not want to discuss that subject for publication at this time," said President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor yesterday, in discussing the possibility of a state-wide or nation-wide strike as a result of the Philadelphia labor controversy.

"Whatever plans we may have for the protection of labor," he continued, "I do not know that it is necessary to publish or proclaim. The forces arrayed against labor meet in secret and plan their schemes. They take neither the public nor labor into their confidence. We will do the best we can to protect the rights and interests of the working people."

Referring to the action of the Philadelphia authorities yesterday in prohibiting the holding of a mass meeting at the baseball park, Mr. Gompers said the men were treated as the suspects of the United States rather than as citizens of the United States.

"An attempt such as this," he said, "to deny and prohibit free assembly, and free speech, and to wantonly, ruthlessly and brutally club men, women and children in the effort to exercise their right of free speech and free assembly, is bound to react."

"In the United States we are led to believe that we are entitled to these rights under the constitution, and for the moment a corrupt gang, such as obtains in Philadelphia, may have the upper hand, but that cannot last long, not in free America. It is something that Philadelphia corporations and politicians do not seem to understand, that the greatest safety lies in freedom."

Reviewing the situation, Mr. Gompers said that everything was done by the men that could be done with honor to avoid the strike.

DEMAND FOR ARBITRATION
MADE BY BUSINESS MEN

PHILADELPHIA, March 12.—The demands for arbitration of the differences between the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. and its 4000 or more striking employees became insistent yesterday, from within Philadelphia and outside of it. Everywhere it was recognized that the failure to arrive at an adjustment was the only thing which stood in the way of the speedy calling

SISTERS BURIED

Services Held at St. Patrick's
Church Today

The caskets containing the remains of the late Sister Mary Cyrille and Sister Mary Leontine were laid side by side before the main altar in St. Patrick's church where a solemn high mass of requiem was sung for the repose of their souls this morning. Prior to leaving the Academy the office for the dead was read in the Academy chapel by Rev. William O'Brien, P. M. The celebrant of the mass was Rev. Joseph P. Curtin, who was assisted by Rev. John J. McHugh, deacon; Rev. Timothy Callahan, sub-deacon, while Rev. Fr. O'Brien assisted at the service within the sanctuary. The choir, under the direction of Michael J. Johnson, rendered the Gregorian mass. Mr. Andrew McCarthy giving the solo. The casket of Sister Mary Leontine

was borne by Rev. Brothers Cripin, Florence, Clement and Ligouri. The remains of Sister Mary Leontine were borne to the Catholic cemetery and were interred in the lot of the Sisters of Notre Dame, services at the grave being conducted by the four clergymen who officiated at the church service. The remains of Sister Mary Cyrille were borne by Messrs. Edward Burke, John Cassidy, Thomas Hill, William Cunningham, Stephen Burke, and Thomas of Boston. The remains were forwarded to Boston on the 10.45 train, where burial took place in St. Joseph's cemetery. Present at the service were many graduates and former pupils of Notre Dame academy. The funerals were in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

FIRE BROKE OUT

In Chelmsford Foundry Today

Fire broke out in the Chelmsford foundry in North Chelmsford about 1.30 o'clock this afternoon and for a time it looked as if it would do great damage. The fire fighters were quickly on the scene, however, and the flames were given a knockout blow inside of half an hour. The fire started in the machine shop part of the foundry and did considerable damage.

Paul C. Church carried the insurance on the building and contents of the North Chelmsford foundry, damaged by fire this afternoon.

BAKERS TO STRIKE

NEW YORK, March 12.—The Koshers Bakers union decided yesterday to make a general demand on April 30 on behalf of 4000 kosher bakers in New York for an advance in wages of \$2 a week, to be enforced by a general strike if it is refused. Several hundred kosher bakers in six bakeries struck for this demand yesterday morning, ahead of the present wages of the kosher bakers range from \$14 to \$20 a week.

TAGGART CASE ASKED

PAOLA, Ind., March 12.—Before the argument was begun in the suit to revoke the charter of Tom Taggart's French Lick Hotel company yesterday, the state presented 378 interrogatories which it asked that the jury should answer, and the judge was asked to give 20 separate instructions on points of law.

In the argument of the case the state alleged that the retirement of one gambler from the Casino was simply to let another gambler in and that the verbal abuse with Hubbard was merely to determine how much he should be asked to pay when it was seen what the gambling privileges were worth.

SENATOR LODGE

Paid a Tribute to the Late
John C. Calhoun

WASHINGTON, March 12.—In the two houses of congress South Carolina and Massachusetts today joined hands over the grave of John C. Calhoun. The occasion was the unveiling of the statue of the great South Carolinian which sixty years after the period of his long continued struggle for rights was set up today in statutory hall.

The unveiling was conducted wholly by South Carolinians. The cords holding the drapery were loosed by Mrs. Bratton and Miss Gist, both daughters of the Palmetto statesman. Governor Ansel presided and former Governor Mauldin delivered the principal oration. The statue depicts its subject in a striking attitude. It is placed between the figures of Ethan Allen and Lewis Cass, directly facing the effigy of Webster, Calhoun's great antagonist.

The ceremony of acceptance took place in the senate and house following the unveiling exercises. It was in the two houses that the representatives of the two ante-bellum belligerent states met to bury the hatchet, Senator Lodge and Rep. McCall, speaking for the New England commonwealth, and Senator Smith and a number of South Carolina representatives for that state. An address was made in the senate also by Senate Chamberlain of Oregon, Messrs. Lodge and McCall spoke eulogistically of the personality of the subject of the unveiling.

The Calhoun family was represented by Patrick and John C. Calhoun, grandsons of the statesman and by several great grandchildren.

Senator Lodge's speech was a eulogy of Calhoun, the man. He attempted no further consideration of the question for which the great South

Carolinian stood than was necessary to present his personality and to that he awarded unstinted praise.

Finding in Calhoun the leader of the forces which brought about the war of 1861 and portraying him in the constructive work of building up a strong military force after the war, Mr. Lodge pictured him as apparently inconsistently but still most courageously and conscientiously fighting his battle for the right of separation.

Declaring that Daniel Webster had taken up the work that had been left by Calhoun, "He was a great man, one of the great figures of our history." He was the greatest man South Carolina has given to the nation. It matters not that before the last tribunal the verdict went against him, that the ex-entire logic seemed him have been banned and barred, the man remains greatly placed in our history. The unyielding courage, the splendid intellect, the long devotion to the public service, the pure, unspotted private life, all are there, all are here with us now, untouched and unimpaired for after ages to admire."

KILLED HIMSELF THE CORONER

Man Committed Suicide
on Steamer

NEW YORK, March 12.—As the White Star liner Adriatic was pulling away from her pier on her trip to Europe today an officer on the bridge suddenly shouted through his megaphone that a man had committed suicide by shooting himself in the head in one of the second cabin rooms.

A tug was dispatched to the Adriatic and soon a stretcher was lowered bearing the body of the suicide. The ship's surgeon placed on the stretcher with the man's baggage a certificate showing that he was dead when discovered and that he booked passage as Bepko, a stagehand living in London.

MEDICAL MEN

DISCUSS QUESTION OF WHAT
CAUSES BERT-BERT

MANILA, March 12.—The Far Eastern Tropical Medical Association, which is in session here, has accepted a paper offered by Prof. Henry Fraser, director of the Straits Settlements Institute of Medical Research, as to the etiology of bert-berl, which he declares is simply a disorder of nutrition brought on by the eating of rice, which lacks phosphorus.

Prof. Fraser in this first announcement of his discovery explodes the time honored theory that the disease is due to infection or location. He declares that the steam milling process is essentially faulty, because the high polish which produces the best quality of white rice removes the phosphorus contained in the pericarp. Dr. Fraser adds that the use of the cheaper grades of unpurified rice, or the mixing of white rice with the polishes, restores the phosphorus and eliminates bert-berl.

The Bureau of Health declares that Dr. Fraser's discovery is of the greatest value. Dr. Aron of the Philippine Medical school, working independently of Dr. Fraser and experimenting on animals and natives, reached the same conclusion as the director of the Straits Settlements society. Bert-berl is prevalent to a great extent among the masses of Filipinos, especially in the schools, soldiers' camps and workmen's shacks. The victims number 10,000 every year in the Philippines. The discoveries of Prof. Fraser and Dr. Aron are therefore regarded as of the greatest importance.

TRACK MEET

BIG EVENT SCHEDULED AT HIGH
SCHOOL TONIGHT

What should prove to be one of the most interesting dual meets for several seasons is scheduled to be held at the High school annex tonight when the local team lines up against the pick of three of Boston's largest High schools. The visitors are coming to Lowell filled with confidence that victory will be theirs and will be a sorely disappointed lot if the Lowell boys land the majority of the points.

Capt. Connell and the members of the team have been in constant training for tonight's events and will be in the heat of condition when called to the mark. Dr. Coburn reports all of the boys in good shape and allows that if defeat comes to Lowell it will not be because the local runners were out of condition.

Besides the regular contests there will be several special features which should develop more than ordinary concern among the followers of this line of sport. A special relay race between Tom Farrell and Allie Thompson, two old stars of the local school, and a picked relay team of four men, here will contest and then Lane, Lowell's mile, will run against Allen, the host long distance man in the group of visitors.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Says That Laughlin
Committed Suicide

PITTSBURGH, March 12.—A coroner's report just made public gives the cause of the death of Thomas K. Laughlin, brother-in-law of President Taft, yesterday, as "suicide by shooting."

The attending physicians to Mr. Laughlin were Drs. McKennan and Ingram. Dr. McKennan would neither deny nor confirm today the rumors that young Mr. Laughlin killed himself. Dr. Ingram could not be seen.

Mr. Laughlin was one of Pittsburg's best known men. He was a member of all the more prominent clubs of the city, a director in several banking institutions and assistant treasurer of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Co. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at the Laughlin home at the Hotel Chelny in this city, having blown out his brains with a revolver bullet.

MORTALITY OF LOWELL
For the week ending March 12, 1910: Population, 56,380; total deaths, 46; deaths under five, 16; infectious diseases, 5; acute lung diseases, 1; diphtheria, 2; scarlet fever, 2; measles, 1; death rate, 24.28 against 31.83 and 28.05 for previous two weeks. Infectious diseases reported: Scarlet fever, 7; diphtheria, 2; measles, 98.
Board of Health.

THE RAILROAD BILL

WASHINGTON, March 12.—A radical amendment to the administration bill providing for valuation of railroad properties by the interstate commerce commission as a precedent to the merger, consolidation or reorganization of carriers subject to the law was adopted by the house committee on interstate commerce today.

TO EMPLOY 400 HANDS

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 12.—A formal announcement was made here today by the officials of the National Cardboard company who recently purchased the local mills of the Publishers Paper company that they will also take possession of the mills owned by the Publishers company at Derwick, Me. and Bar Mills, Me. The first new machinery will be installed in the Portsmouth mills during the early part of next month and within two months it is believed they will be employing 400 hands.

DOCTOR LEFT \$31,374

NEW YORK, March 12.—The transfer tax appraisal of the estate of Dr. Clark C. Dunlop on her agreement not to compete at the time of his death on May 6, 1908, and whose estate has been in litigation ever since, shows that he, Dr. Dunlop, was worth \$31,374. He left \$150,000 to his wife, Elizabeth C. Dunlop, on her agreement not to marry again, and gave \$100,000 to the board of church extension of the Methodist Episcopal church. He divided \$50,000 between the Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., the Children's Aid society, Home for the Friendless, the American Patriotic Society and the Bible and Fruit Mission to the City Hospitals.

The appraiser says that there are claims against the estate amounting to \$11,588, in addition to which a lawyer has sued Mrs. Dunlop as executrix to receive \$400 for services. The estate will not be sufficient to pay the demands in full.

IT DESERVES IT

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INSPECTOR DOW

Says Sunlight is Essential in Bath System

"We could do no better than to model our bath house, of we build one, on the lines followed by the state highway commission at the beaches," says James Dow, inspector of buildings. He does not believe in basement bath houses because of the absence of light from overhead. He likes the beach bath house because every part of the interior has light from overhead. Sunlight is an important element in every sanitary bath house. We should have it in ours. Mr. Dow does not believe in locating the new bath in the vicinity of city hall, and he says that the best light can be obtained in a one-story building, with skylights or roof of glass, that might be removed in the summer time if need be. He does not believe in grouping public buildings and gives as his opinion that the Morris property at the corner of John and Paige streets would be an almost ideal location for a new bath. He says the old Moody school house, at the corner of East Merrimack and High streets, might, at a small expense, be made into a suitable bath house. He considers it much preferable to build public buildings in various parts of the city where they will serve as models to owners of property adjoining. One thing always happens when a public building is planned in a good section of a city. Land in the vicinity increases in value, and if old and unsightly buildings cover the same, the owner is forced to improve them. For the owner to keep the old buildings to put up structures that will bring in a rental in keeping with the value of his property.

U.S. AMBASSADOR TOOK CHILDREN

Has Been Sued by a Husband Now Offers to Return Them

PITTSBURGH, March 12.—Pittsburgh was treated to a rather unusual sensation yesterday when it became known that United States Ambassador to Rome John G. A. Leishman, former president of the Carnegie Steel company of Pittsburgh, and one of Andrew Carnegie's former partners and advisers, has been sued by a prominent French attorney for the balance of a peculiar bill. The legal firm of Delzel, Fisher & Hawkins, of Pittsburgh, representing Maitre O. E. Bodinger, a counselor of Paris, has issued a writ of foreign attachment against the personal bank account of Ambassador Leishman in America, most of which is supposed to be carried in the Union Trust company of Pittsburgh. The French attorney claims that the Pittsburgh millionaire has not yet paid him in full for services rendered preliminary to securing a titled husband for his daughter, Marthe, who for the past three years has been Countess De Contant Dyon of Paris.

Ambassador Leishman has paid him in part, the French attorney admits, but there is yet \$50,000 coming to him, he says, and failing to collect it in either Italy or Paris, he has invaded America. He sets forth that he went to great trouble in making a settlement of portion of the Pittsburgh fortune on the French count before the latter married the Pittsburgh beauty and that he wants his pay. Maitre Bodinger sets forth boldly that the Leishman-Biron marriage was in no way different from the general rule of continental marriages in which marriage settlements play an indispensable preliminary part. He sets forth that Mr. Leishman employed him in making all financial arrangements with the count and that he did his duty, not only in securing for the Pittsburgh heiress a titled husband but secured for the count a good price for giving his titled name to the Pittsburgh girl.

The banking institution has accepted the service and it is announced that before Mr. Leishman can use one cent of his presumably large balance here he must furnish a bond of \$50,000 to settle the claim of the French attorney should the case go against the rich father-in-law. The case is expected to develop some rich insight into foreign marriage arrangements by rich families of Pittsburgh.

THE PRESIDENT

WANTS CONSTITUTIONALITY OF ACT TESTED

WASHINGTON, March 12.—President Taft has directed Attorney General Wickham to prepare a joint resolution to be presented to congress to bring to an issue the question of the constitutionality of the act of 1846 whereby a portion of the District of Columbia was given to Virginia. Should congress shortly adopt the resolution that it desires the Virginia territory brought back into the district the president will institute suit to determine whether the act was constitutional. Port Myer, Arlington and Alexandria lie within the territory that was formerly embraced within the district.

Ocean Travel

As the Annual Spring and Summer Passenger Business is well under way, we wish to remind European Travelers that we are now prepared to receive bookings on the Cunard, White Star, Allan and all first-class lines between Boston, New York, Queenstown, Liverpool, Glasgow, London and all points on the continent.

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TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Closes
Amal Copper	79 3/4	78 3/4	78 3/4
Am Car & Fu	65 1/4	64 1/4	64 1/4
Am Col Oil	68 3/4	68	68 1/2
Am Locom	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
Am Loco pt	113 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2
Am Sme & R	86 1/2	86	86 1/2
Am Smelt & R pt	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
Anacosta	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Aitchison	117 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2
Balt & Ohio	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2
Br Rap Tran	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
Canadian Pa	180 1/2	179 1/2	180
Cast I Pipe	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Cent Leather	43 1/2	42 1/2	43
Ches & Ohio	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
C C & St L	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
Chl & GL W	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Consol Gas	147 1/4	147 1/4	147 1/4
Del & Hud	176 1/4	176 1/4	176 1/4
Den & Rio G	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Den & R G pt	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
Dis Secur Co	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Erie	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Genl Inv	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Gl North pt	138 1/2	137 1/2	138 1/2
Gl Ore pt	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
Int Met	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
Int Paper	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
Int Pulp Co	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Kan City So	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Lea & Texas	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Louis & Nash	153 1/2	153 1/2	153 1/2
Mexican Cent	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
N Y Central	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Nor & West	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Nor Pac	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Ont & West	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Pennsylvania	137 1/2	137 1/2	137 1/2
Penns Gas	111 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
Pittsburg	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2
Reading	168 1/2	168 1/2	168 1/2
Rep Iron & S	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Rock Is	50 1/2	49 1/2	50 1/2
Rock Mt	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2
St Paul	147 1/2	146 1/2	147 1/2
So Pacific	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2
Union Pac	137 1/2	137 1/2	137 1/2
Union Ry pt	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Third Ave	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Union Pacific	180 1/2	180 1/2	180 1/2
U S Steel	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
U S Steel	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
U S Steel	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
U S Steel	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
Wabash R R	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Wab R R pt	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Westinghouse	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
Western Un	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
Wiscon Cen	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2

MARKET DULL

AT THE CLOSING HOUR THIS NOON
Trading held in restraint by uncertainty of the money outlook. A strong advance in American Tobacco in the outside market was used to quiet apprehension over the recurrence on Monday of decision day in the supreme court. About 100 shorts put out yesterday about 1000, but the demand, the drift of prices was narrow and shifting, turning downwards at the last. Prices ended with but little change from last night.
NEW YORK, March 12.—The light opening demand for stocks resulted in a sluggish recovery from the weakness of the closing yesterday. The advance in American Loco ran to a point and in Louisville & Nashville Rock Island and Cleveland C & St. Louis and B. R. T. large fractions.
Some of the actual stock fluctuated very irregularly, Reading and Amalgamated Copper covering a range of about a point and unsettling the general market until near 11 o'clock, when all of the leaders moved up briskly. The market closed irregular and dull. Trading was held in restraint by the growing uncertainty of the money outlook. A strong advance in American Tobacco in the outside market was used to quiet apprehension over the recurrence on Monday of decision day in the supreme court. About 100 shorts put out yesterday about 1000, but the demand, the drift of prices was narrow and shifting, turning downwards at the last. Prices ended with but little change from last night.

THE MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, March 12.—The statement of clearing house banks for the week show that the bank holds \$14,006,750 more than the requirements of the 25 per cent reserve rule. This is a record, \$4,899,075 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with last week.
The statement follows:
Loans, increase \$2,755,200.
Deposits, decrease \$2,783,700.
Circulation, increase, \$63,650.
Legal tenders, decrease \$1,759,000.
Specie, decrease \$2,325,100.
Surplus, reserve \$10,006,750, decrease \$4,899,075.
Ex-U. S. deposits \$10,423,750, decrease \$4,813,175.
The percentage of actual reserve of the clearing house bank today was 25.84.
The statement of banks and trust companies of Greater New York not reporting to the clearing house shows:
Loans, increase \$5,090,400.
Specie, increase \$2,558,500.
Legal tenders, increase \$55,500.
Total deposits, increase \$10,250,000.
Prime mercantile paper 4 1/2 to 5 per cent. Sterling exchange steady at 48 1/2 for sixty day bills and at 48 3/4 for demand. Commercial bills 48 3/4 to 48 1/2. Bar silver 51 1/2. Mexican dollars 44. Government bonds easy. Railroad bonds steady.
Money on call nominal; no loans; time loans firm; sixty days, 3 1/2 to 4 1/4 per cent, and ninety days, 3 3/4 to 4 1/4. Six months 4. Exchanges \$340,697,089; balances, \$11,456,640.

Cotton Futures			
March	Opening	Closing	
April	14.90	14.91	
May	14.81	14.83	
June	14.81	14.80	
July	14.81	14.80	
August	13.95	14.04	
September	12.96-00	13.08	
October	12.56	12.63	
November	12.47	12.47	
December	12.25	12.48	
January	12.34	12.50	

SPOT COTTON

NEW YORK, March 12.—Spot cotton closed firm. Mid Ups 15.10; Mid Gulf 15.35. Sales 7347 bales.

STOCKS

March 12.—Uncle Lem's Dilemma, from the pen of Edward Locke, he is assisted by Miss Louise Hardenburgh. The entertaining qualities of the play and the spirit with which it is played more than make good its title of "The Old Homestead of the Varieties." The Three Vagrants, in the guise of strolling minstrels, render a delightful program of songs and instrumental music. Travelling and Rolling, "The Two Odd Fellows" are a talking team of agreeable eccentricity, and as exponents of laughable oddities they are unexcelled. Galloway, the brilliant cartoonist, will present his new and original cartoon act. He uses a stage representing an artist's studio, and exhibits his drawings on a little disk, the pictures being enlarged for the audience's entertainment by being thrown upon a large screen. Galloway's ability with the crayon is astounding, and his pictures in Puck, Judge and other magazines are known all over the country. Galloway, a comedy magician, and the Hathscope close the bill.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Fritz's Performing Dogs are drawing great crowds at the Academy. Do not fail to bring the children to see these clever canines. The Great Powers still mystifies the grown people with his cleverness in handling hypnotic subjects, and there are new moving pictures. Next Monday, Danny Simmons will be with us, that is enough. Dan McCaffrey will also return with a budget of new songs. There will be a concert on Sunday. Admission 5 and 10 cents.

THEATRE VOYONS

Tomorrow the Theatre Voyons will offer one of the best Sunday concerts of the season. The picture program will be selected from the very latest and best pictures and they will be shown in a manner that only is possible when the mechanical and electrical equipment and the operators are the very best that can be had. The musical program is varied and seven singers well known in Lowell will assist in its performance and the selections will be of the highest class. Monday a new bill will be given the headliner of which will be "The Arrest of the Duchess Du Barry," a Pathe film (part) telling a story of the reign of Louis XIV. of France.

STAR THEATRE

"The Indian" a powerful motion picture subject dealing with life in the once wild west is a feature of the all star show at the Star theatre. A faithful Indian does a heroic deed in the defence of the family of a white settler, who had one befriended him. The Indian and Mack present an excellent vaudeville act, introducing Irish reels and jigs. Their dancing is such not usually seen. The admission of five cents includes a seat.

PASTIME THEATRE

The death of Minnehaha, one of the feature independent pictures shown at the Pastime picture house on Sunday afternoon and evening is certainly a clever piece of work on the part of the maker, showing how graphically that beautiful poem of Longfellow's is being produced in moving pictures and placing it among one of the finest films ever shown upon the screen, making it useful for educational as well as for entertainment purposes. Don't fail to see this beautiful picture. Other pictures shown will include "Nicholas" in "Thibet, or the Mystery of Lanna Convent," a sensational dramatic subject; also "High Game" and "Last Year's Time Table," two excellent comedy subjects. Two illustrated songs, "Lillian Unwaverly" will sing "The Spirit That My Heart Calls Home." Mr.

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THE IRISH LEAGUE

GEORGE BURTON

The Treasurer's Report Has Sued Belmont and Shonts

National Treasurer Fitzpatrick of the United Irish League recently gave out a statement of the money received and sent to Ireland since October 1, 1909. Part of his report is as follows:
Pennsylvania:
Philadelphia \$18,800.00
Pittsburg 1,171.00
St. Bethlehem 300.00
\$20,271.00
Massachusetts:
Boston \$14,734.55
Fall River 865.00
Lowell 1,225.00
Clinton 680.00
Haverhill 451.59
Others sent direct to treasurer 2,253.93
\$20,189.75
New York:
New York \$580.00
New York 12,375.55
Cortland 200.00
Syracuse 2,110.13
Buffalo 2,000.00
\$17,265.68

Of this amount it will be noted that Lowell sent \$125, while Lawrence appears to have sent little or nothing.

In addition to this Patrick Ford of the Irish World sent \$5,000 and will soon have as much more raised to send in support of the party headed by Hon. John E. Hodgson.
The total amount was \$50,000 from the United States and Canada during that time. This would go but a short way in paying election expenses for the eighty men, the majority of whom give all their time to parliamentary duties. They have no salary except what they receive from the funds of the United Irish League.

FAMILY IN NEED

On our classified ad. page under the head of "Situations Wanted" will be found an advertisement of a worthy woman, who has three young children and a husband who is ill. This woman is in need of assistance. She is anxious to obtain work, but her kind clothing or other assistance. Her name and address can be obtained by calling at The Sun office.

SONDER YACHTS

TO TAKE PART IN RACES IN GERMANY

BOSTON, March 12.—An American sonder yacht team of three boats will be sent to Germany in June, 1911, for the second international race for these yachts in German waters and the fourth of the series between the two countries.
The announcement was made here today by the Eastern Yacht club which has charge of the arrangements and which has accepted the invitation of the Kaiserliche Yacht Club of Kiel to entertain a team of Spanish sonder yachts at Marblehead in September with trial races for that series in August and as the trial races for the German team will be held in October, plenty of sport and excitement for the owners of these little yachts during the next year and a half.

New York, Philadelphia and Boston yachtsmen have already signified their intention of participating in both trial races and large fleets are anticipated for these events.
When the last match was sailed in Germany the Americans were unable to reach the other side before July and comparatively few German yachtsmen saw the races.

The Americans will be in Kiel in June this year during the fasts of the week, and it has been agreed that trials in October will be sufficient to select a team.
Among the yachtsmen who will be in the trial races for the German team are: William H. Childs of New York, owner of the Jorytte, which won the cup last fall; George C. Thomas of Philadelphia; Robert W. Emmons, 2nd, of Lewis Stockpile of Boston, and Commander F. Lewis Clark of the Eastern Yacht club and a resident of Spokane. The Spanish races will be held the first week in October and the visitors will represent the Royal Yacht clubs of Santander, San Sebastian and Bilbao. The king of Spain is the promoter of the Spanish side for this match.

The trials for the Spanish match will be held about the middle of August, and twenty yachts are expected to start.
The Eastern Yacht club has issued invitations to all American yachtsmen to enter these trial races. The rules are the same as have obtained for the past two years and no yacht can cost over \$200.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Annie T. Coffey announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Anna T. Coffey, to Mr. Frederick Francis Furphy of Brookline.
Joseph M. Donoghue, of Hazlet street, who is holding an important clerical position in the census department, Washington, D. C., attained the highest rank in Massachusetts as a result of the federal civil service examination held some months ago. His rank is said to be probably the highest ever attained by anyone in any similar examination, which was from all accounts a most exciting test.

Rev. Sister St. Albert of the French American orphanage has gone to Swansea, where her father, Jean-Baptiste Merlet, died Tuesday at the age of 82 years. The funeral took place Thursday. Mr. Merlet had been married twice and was the father of 23 children. He was a successful merchant at St. Joseph-de-la-Plaine before coming to the United States to live with some of his children established here, and was also for 34 years a member of the French community, ceasing to occupy that position with the fall of the Merlet family. Another daughter of Mr. Merlet is also a sister of charity. Rev. Sister St. Ambrose of the Cap-Rouge, Que.

SMALL FIRE LAST NIGHT

A telephone alarm summoned a small section in the fire department to a chimney fire in the house at the corner of Broadway and Will streets about 7 o'clock last night. The property is owned by Daniel Murphy. Damage slight.

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JAMES O'CONNOR

Member of House of Commons Dead

LONDON, March 12.—James O'Connor, a nationalist member of the house of commons, who has represented the west district of Wicklow since 1892, died today. He was born in 1852.
James O'Connor was formerly on the staff of the Irish People, a Fenian organ. In 1866 he was with Aubrey Keegan and Charles Kickham of the Irish People, was convicted of treason and felonies, and was sentenced to seven years' penal servitude. He was liberated before his term had expired and was subsequently connected with various journals.

WAGE INCREASE

To Employees of United Traction Co.

READING, Pa., March 12.—It is announced here that an advance in wages made by the United Traction Co., operating all the electric roads in Reading and its suburbs to its conductors and motormen to 25 cents an hour beginning next Wednesday will affect the employees of this class in this state. The advance applies to 2000 men in Trenton, N. J., Wilmington, Del., Norristown, Lebanon, Reading and Chester, Pa., whose street car lines are controlled by the United Power and Transportation Co. of which John Rigg of this city is president.

In speaking of the advance an official of the company said today that the action was taken as a protection not to the company alone but to every branch of the mercantile business in the city from the agitation being carried on by labor men among various industries. It is rumored that the company in order to recoup itself will advance fares to five cents straight.

YOUNG CHAUFFEUR

ORDERED BY THE COURT TO LEAVE TOWN

NEW YORK, March 12.—Adolph Blank, 22 years old, a chauffeur of 424 East Fifty-first street, pleaded guilty in special sessions yesterday to a third offense of speeding and was allowed to go under suspended sentence on the condition that he would quit the city at once.

Blank agreed to the condition and told the court that he would leave at once for Cleveland, Ohio.

"Very well," said Justice Donohue, "if you are in town on next Monday you will be brought back here on this charge and sentenced the limit of the law."

Blank was arrested while going twenty miles an hour on Eighth avenue, between 113th and 114th streets at 2 o'clock on the morning of January 30. On the papers was the endorsement of the district attorney that it was Blank's fourth offense.

AN APPRECIATIVE PUBLIC

Our 40c chocolate mixture for 25c was a pronounced success, we having found it necessary to duplicate our order twice this week. Fresh pure, and made in our own factory, we feel certain that we are offering the best candy value ever shown in Lowell. Take home a box for Sunday. However, the druggist, 127 Central street, (Fresh from the oven) coconut cake (a dozen).

Do You Have Headaches?



These dull aches across the forehead, these frequent sick or nervous headaches, are all the result of eye strain that the proper glasses will cure. Not much too dosing yourself with drugs when the real trouble is with your eyes—your eyes simply got to be taken care of. The strain of the day will come. Shall I find what's wrong and right it?

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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

WHERE TAXES SHOULD BE HEAVY.

The high tariff and the subject of taxation are causing much discussion throughout the country.

While a vast majority of the people are poor and find it difficult to make both ends meet, there are men at the head of great monopolies, such as John D. Rockefeller, the coal barons, the trust magnates and many others, whose wealth is so vast that they find difficulty in spending it. They have had for years an income as a result of natural resources of this country and from which the government should derive an income. Coal lands and mines have been given away or sold outright while the same is true of oil lands and those containing the most precious mineral wealth.

By buying up such lands the speculators and railroads have secured a monopoly of the fuel supply, the gold output and other mineral treasures, while Rockefeller has bought up all the oil wells he could find; thus creating a monopoly of the oil supply.

It is not thus that other countries allow mineral treasures to be usurped. Even our next door neighbor, Canada, has a different and, from the popular standpoint, a more equitable method of disposing of mineral wealth. The law in force at present relative to coal lands of which there is not a great deal in Canada, permits the leasing of such lands for twenty-one years at an annual rental of a dollar an acre, provided that not more than 2560 acres can be leased to one applicant. The royalty to be paid under this arrangement is five cents for every ton of coal. Even this arrangement would bring a reasonable return to the government of the United States on the output of the coal mines. But we have no such arrangement and the lands are private property, so that they cannot be reached except by taxation.

What we want in this country is a tax on mineral wealth and monopolies whether in land or anything else, in order to prevent the dangerous accumulation of wealth that defies even the government. Were taxes imposed thus there would be no need of the oppressive tariff that keeps the prices of the necessities of life at such an exorbitant figure.

Were such an arrangement in force we should not see such princes of wealth as Carnegie and Rockefeller with more money than they know how to dispose of.

Unless there be some method adopted to prevent the accumulation of vast wealth in the hands of the few and the impoverishment of the masses, there will certainly be trouble and disturbance, whether it be of the industrial kind or something different. The causes at the bottom of all the present trouble are the excessive tariff, the monopoly in mining lands, the trusting of railroads and other lines of business to the exclusion of competition and the suppression of independent enterprises.

THE PUBLIC HALL SITES.

Mayor Meehan has expressed himself in favor of locating the hall near the centre of transportation. That is a very important consideration in the selection of a site, important to the public at large as being equally convenient to the people of every part of the city.

A public hall so situated will be worth more to the city than one located at some distance from the centre of transportation. It is important to have a public hall that can be reached from all the outlying districts of the city without a change of cars. This would save both time and trouble. It would make the hall more popular and more profitable, for when any public meeting or entertainment is advertised in a hall near the central transfer station, it will be more largely attended than if in a hall more remote.

It is a very trifling thing that sometimes makes all the difference between success and failure. In a store, let it be the best in Lowell, if it has one or two steps up to the door the people will not bother going into it while they can find one nearly as good that has an entrance on a level with the sidewalk. This fact is so potent to storekeepers throughout the city that most of them would rather go to the expense of making a level entrance than bear the disadvantage of even one step up to the door.

When such trifles sway the action of men and women, we get an idea of how important it is to study the demands of public convenience and necessity.

In this matter of a site for a public hall the main governing idea to guide the city council should be to provide for the greatest good of the greatest number. That can be done only by locating the public hall so close to the centre of transportation that except in stormy weather no change of cars will be needed in getting the desired car at Merrimack square. That would mean a saving of from ten to thirty minutes at least for everybody using the electric cars, as it requires this length of time to change cars where they run on fifteen, twenty and thirty minute schedules. Then, too, the largest crowd can be accommodated at the square, whereas at any point where there is no loop track there will be delay. At the old Huntington hall, as everybody knows, there was seldom a sufficient number of cars to take off the crowd and the result was a firestorm.

Now the same condition will prevail if the hall is located at any considerable distance from the centre of transportation so as to necessitate the trouble and delay of changing cars at the square.

The site that is near the transfer centre, and that can be easily looped with special cars destined for the outlying districts, has so many advantages in point of centrality, convenience and general eligibility that these points should weigh very heavily with the commission of selection. The assessed values of the lots offered thus far do not differ very much. They are as follows:

- Site northeast corner John and Paige streets, \$53,700.
 - Site southeast corner John and Paige streets, \$38,400.
 - Moody street lot, next York club (municipal centre) \$31,550.
 - Washington Tavern lot, corner Central and Church streets, \$40,950.
- In the construction of a hall to meet the needs of the city present and future, it is better to pay a little more for an ideal site than take an objectionable one at a low figure.
- The people long ago voted in favor of a public hall; they want it and the work of supplying this need should not be further postponed. We have been haggling over this matter long enough. Go in and settle it in a business-like manner with one aim in view, and that as we have said—the greatest good of the greatest number.

SEEN AND HEARD

"Doctor, there is something the matter with my right ear. There is something tickling inside of it and I cannot sleep. I have been sleepless for 48 hours," said J. M. Cooney, as he presented himself at the office of Bellevue hospital in New York.

"It sounds like a telephone operator sending messages and I hear it all the time," said Cooney.

Dr. Drury placed an instrument in the ear which enabled him to see the eardrum and there, in the very centre, he made out a small insect that appeared to be tapping on the drum with one foot.

The doctor flushed the ear and the "telephone operator" floated out. "It is a very rare bug," said the doctor.

"What is it called?" asked a reporter of the doctor last night.

"Well, you might call it a 'telephone bug,'" he replied.

Only two months after Chloe's marriage she reappeared in the kitchen and asked for her old place.

"What has happened to your husband?" asked her employer.

"Dey ain't nothin' happen to Willyum, Mrs. Franklin."

"Isn't he willing to support you?"

"Oh, yes'm, he's willin' to support me, all right."

"Have you quarreled with him, then?"

"No'm, he ain't quarelled none."

"Is he sick?"

"No'm, he ain't sick."

"What is the matter? Has he left you?"

"No, me'am, he ain't left me. I'm leavin' him."

"Well, what are you doing it for?"

Chloe paused, searching for the right phrase. "Well, I tell you, Mrs. Franklin. It seems lak I dun sot of lost my taste for Willyum."

John D. Rockefeller expects a gaudy pair of wings after he passes St. Peter at the Big Gate—New Bedford Times.

John may not pass. You know how hard the bible says it is for the rich man to enter the kingdom of heaven.

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mind becomes warped and twisted by selfishness. Its energies are bent toward shrewd calculations. Honesty has become a secondary principle; friendship is an unknown quantity; brothers are enemies. Narrowness, treachery and absolute dishonesty are factors often brought into active use in this great struggle for selfish ambition for success. And this is true, that ambition today is for wealth, and with it selfish ease and comfort.

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—Betty Brown.

"Father," asked the small boy of an editor, "is Jupiter inhabited?"

"I don't know, my son," was the truthful answer.

"Presently he was interrupted again. 'Are there any serpents?'"

"I don't know, my son."

"The little fellow was manifestly cast down, but presently rallied and again approached the great source of information. 'Father, what does the New pole look like?'"

"But, again the answer, 'I don't know, my son.'"

At last, in desperation, he inquired, with withering emphasis, "Father, how did you get to be an editor?"

A teacher in one of our elementary schools had noticed a striking platonic friendship that existed between Tommy and little Mary, two of her pupils.

Tommy was a bright enough youngster, but he wasn't disposed to prosecute his studies with much energy. Mary, on the other hand, was a serious student and she would not let him stir him before the end of the year he wouldn't be promoted.

"You must study harder," she told him, "or else you won't pass. How would you like to stay back in this class another year and have little Mary go ahead of you?"

"Aw," said Tommy, "I guess there'll be other little Marys."

Standing with his back to the bank he anxiously awaited the coming of the fair one who promised to meet him at 7.30 and it was already 8 o'clock. "You're terribly late," he said, in a long wait, he said, and his voice betrayed his wounded feelings.

"Don't you care," said the fair one, "I'm sorry, 'think of the backing you had.'"

Having read that German sausages are composed of horse meat, bob veal and other things too horrible to mention, you would your way to the hotel and find that the piece de resistance on the bill of fare is the imported German sausage at 40 cents per copy. Wouldn't that jar you?

The patois of the typical East Sider is something of a mystery to the uninitiated. Even those who come in daily contact with them are sometimes at a loss to quite grasp the meaning of the attempted English pronunciation. Myra, newly whose magazine stories of East Side life are well known, tells a yarn which humorously illustrates the point. A friend of Miss Kelly's, who is interested in settlement work, met Moskowitz one day, and Moskowitz, seemed very verbose.

"What's the matter?" asked the settlement worker. "You look sick."

"Ches, I am sick," replied Moskowitz. "I got cold in de troll."

"In Detroit?" exclaimed the settlement worker. "I didn't know you had been west. Where were you in Detroit?"

"Not in Detroit—in Detroit," earnestly jabbing his finger into his Adam's apple—New York Times.

"Life," said the pessimist, "is a dreadful bore. I don't know what happiness is."

"Life is all right," rejoined the optimistic man, "if you only look upon the bright side of it."

"But my life has no bright side," protested the other.

"Then," said the optimist, "get busy and polish up one of the dark sides." —Chicago News



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PEOPLE OF NOTE

Prof. John Brashear, who represents Andrew Carnegie in many things, has created a suite of offices where he and others will handle the business of Carnegie relative to the distribution of the proceeds from an endowment fund recently created by Mr. Carnegie for the public school teachers of Pittsburgh, Pa. This fund will produce \$12,000 yearly in interest over the running expenses of the office.

James M. Dearborn of Albany has just been chosen librarian for the college of liberal arts of Boston university, the appointment being made by the faculty of that department. Mr. Dearborn will devote his entire time to the library. The custom which has been in vogue at the college for some years, whereby graduates of the institution have held the appointment while continuing their studies, or in conjunction with some other work, has not been satisfactory and this year the faculty decided to appoint a man who would give his entire time to the position. Since the graduation of the last class of liberal arts to Boston street the library has been greatly increased and the continual change of librarians and student assistants each year is not an advantage. Mr. Dearborn is a graduate of Wesleyan university in the class of 1902. He also attended Columbia university, where he did his graduate work. Before his appointment to the college of liberal arts, he was a member of the senior class of the New York City library school at Albany. He is a member of the Phi Nu Theta fraternity. For a time he served as general assistant in the State Historical Library in Wisconsin.

Mrs. Henry F. Dimock announces that to carry out the plans of the Washington Memorial association at least \$2,500,000 more will be needed. The association wants to erect a memorial building in Washington to be used as a meeting place for all sorts of national organizations. About 30 states have already responded to the call of the association and now a special effort is being made to reach all the school children in the country, not so much for the sake of the money they will give as to get the young contributors interested in the undertaking.

Newspapermen are unusually prominent in the national democratic committee. Chairman Norman E. Mack, Secretary Usher Woodson and Treasurer Herman Riddle all conduct newspapers. Other members of the committee who are newspaper publishers include Clark Howell of Georgia, R. M. Johnston of Texas, Josephus Daniel of North Carolina and Robert Ewing of Louisiana.

Miss Ethel Money, who has been giving a series of lectures on the proper care of horses at the Gainesborough studios in New York, is to make a horseback tour of the southern states. She is to be accompanied by Miss Emma Seward, and they are to look after their own horses during the entire trip. Miss Money declares that she has never seen finer riding schools and private stables than those in this country, though knowledge of the proper care of horses is woefully lacking.

Rev. Arpiar A. Vartanian, who has been pastor of the Armenian Congregational Mission church in Providence for five and one-half years, will accept a call from the First Armenian Congregational church at Fresno, Cal.

Rev. Christie W. Burnham has ended a pastorate of nine years and six months with the Norwood (R. I.) Baptist church, and retiring from active service, completes forty-seven years as a minister, having served fourteen years in New Hampshire, six in Michigan, and twenty-seven years in Rhode Island.

Miss Juliet Points, who has just won the \$1,500 scholarship maintained by the General Federation of Women's Clubs and providing for two years' study in England, will sail in June for Europe. She will spend the summer on the continent, going to England in time to enter one of the universities. "I shall do research work in the British Museum," said Miss Points when speaking of her plans. "I mean to make a thorough study of the English industrial revolution as the starting point of all present sociological and economic development, and at the same time I intend to investigate present time industrial conditions in England. I spent last year doing research work for the United States Immigration commission and I am eager to find out just how English and Continental conditions compare with ours."

Since taking up the pastorate of the South Congregational church at Cambridge, several months ago, Mr. J. Stanley Durkee has established a system which enables him to keep in close touch with all church work. At each morning service the names of the members who are absent are recorded, and on Monday morning the pastor calls to the absentee a postal card as follows:

"We noted your absence from church last Sunday. I trust it is not sickness or trouble that kept you away. Please notify the pastor if he can be of any service to you."

THE ALBANY TRAIL

The bribery investigation at Albany, which has so long agitated the public mind, uncovered a number of important points during the week. Senator Benn Conger, raked for days on the witness stand, maintained coolness and reluctance until forced into unwilling responses. It was he who first made the accusation against Senator Jonathan P. Allen. Conger received \$10,000 from a group of bridge-building companies to blockade certain highway enactments. Under the threat of contempt proceedings, the bridge-builders agreed to pay \$50,000. They were former Speaker S. Fred Nixon and Assemblyman Jean La Rue Burnett, both dead. Senator Conger further testified that hostile legislation had been passed in 1902 by the payment of \$10,000 to the republican campaign fund—Colonel George W. Dyer, state chairman at the time. In 1903 several of the bridge companies

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raised neither protection fund, and the bridge-builders were exasperated. In 1904 money was again exacted from the companies, but in 1905, when a demand for \$10,000 came from Albany, representatives of the bridge interests met at Syracuse and resolved to be "blackmailed" no longer. Upon their refusal to hand over the sum, the bill which for five years they had been buying off was passed. It is suspected that other men now at Albany may become entangled.

Through all the tempest, which appears to have scuttled the dominant organization, Governor Hughes has been the conspicuously calm, republican at Albany. With his enemies in confusion, their opposition to many of his measures now stands bereft of candor or sincerity. On Feb. 16 he ordered an independent investigation of the affairs of the forest, fish, game and water department, the purchase of forest lands. This inquiry promises to have a deeper and a wider reach than the present trial, and to be more perilous to Albany statesmen. Its relation to the other, however, is close. The removal of the forest is alleged to have been given rise to the investigation.—Municipal Journal.

ON PLATTISM

Even in New York state, where it might be supposed that political reform or regeneration would be regarded with considerable suspicion, there seems to be a disposition to assume that a boss of the Platt stripe and politics of the Platt order will never again be possible. Thus one observer of experience remarks that the people of that commonwealth are entitled to look back upon the political life and activity of Thomas C. Platt as something still to shudder at, but with a sense of relief at the fact that he is no longer a factor in the politics of the state.

But there is no guarantee, surely, that what Platt did nobody else will be able to do. Because Platt is no more it doesn't follow that Plattism is dead. After its Tweeds New York had its Crokers. It has been explained that Platt carried the commercialization of politics to a degree of perfection or inequity—unknown before his time; that he was the first chairman of a state committee in New York to perceive how ruthlessly that position could be used for his own benefit. He had the running of campaigns and the disbursing of funds and he made the most of his opportunities to work evil. All this may mean, of course, that Platt has simply blazed the way for political maneuvering that may prove to be even more objectionable than any in which he indulged and by which he profited. Soliditarians have undergone no great change since he lost his influence, and the fact that despite many grievous mistakes and repeated attacks upon him he held his position of leader of his party for twenty years and did with it almost as he pleased serves only to direct attention to the danger that must be combated if cleaner standards are set up.

And what is true of New York in this respect is true of most states. Whether Plattism is done away with forever depends entirely upon the vigilance of voters and the attitude of individuals where personal sacrifice is demanded. It is to be doubted whether in his career political sentiment among republicans was with Platt; his methods were never approved by a majority of his own party. Yet the indifference of the public gave him the opportunity he sought and kept him in power. He was a very convenient certainty, to believe that Thomas C. Platt will have no successor anywhere; that the populace will never again be familiar with activities like those which occupied him, but unfortunately, political history warrants no such assurance. There is every reason to believe that the future may make it clear that Plattism is neither dead or sleeping.—Providence Tribune.

PATTEN HOOTED

In Cotton Exchange at Manchester

LONDON, Mar. 12.—A hostile demonstration on the floor of the cotton exchange at Manchester and one directly in contrast with it for friendliness on the corn exchange at Liverpool was met with yesterday by James A. Patten, the Chicago wheat and cotton operator. In the first Mr. Patten was mobbed and probably escaped injury only by being rescued by the police; in the latter he was greeted with cheering and other manifestations of amity. Mr. Patten will sail from Liverpool today for New York on board the Cunard line steamer Mauretania.

The brief vacation in England of the Chicago operator had been spent mostly about the Liverpool markets, and yesterday he made up his mind to run over to Manchester to see the city and visit the cotton exchange. It was known by Mr. Patten that there had been threats of an unpleasant reception should he visit "Cottonopolis," but he refused to believe they would be carried into effect. These threats, it is said, emanated from persons on the exchange who had been sums as a result of Mr. Patten's operations in Chicago and from others who held him responsible for Thursday's rise in the price of cotton and believed that his visit to England had for its purpose manipulation of the market.

Hardly had Mr. Patten reached the floor of the Manchester exchange before the outburst came. He was hooted and jeered by the throng and then surrounded and hustled to the street. The crowd followed even here and did not disperse until the demonstration of dislike until the exchange was placed in a cab by the police and started for the railway station, where he took the first train back. While unhurt, Mr. Patten was greatly surprised and irritated at the animosity of the people of Manchester he shown for him.

Arriving in Liverpool, he had had time to visit the corn exchange before it closed for the day. The floor was crowded with members who evinced their sympathy with him for the treatment that had been shown him in Manchester by taking off their hats and cheering him when he referred to the incident.

An occurrence similar to the Manchester affair took place on the London exchange after the recent election when a member of the exchange who was a candidate for parliament and had made predictions in his speeches on the sobriety of the personnel of the navy was chased from the building and along the street.

BOARD OF HEALTH ACTS

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 12.—Sales of oysters and shell fish, among the succulent quahogs, from polluted basins in the city of Providence were forbidden yesterday by the board of shell fish commissioners, which met in special session. The commission also voted to ask the general assembly for \$5000 with which to enforce the regulations regarding pollution.

TRAIN WRECKED

One Man is Reported Missing

NEWBURYPORT, March 12.—An extra freight train, No. 777, on the Boston & Maine railroad, was wrecked early this morning midway between Salisbury and the Newburyport bridge. It was reported that several cars were derailed. William Welch, 18 years old, who was riding on the brake beams, was caught in a mass of wreckage and seriously injured.

The train, which was bound from Portland to Boston, was loaded with potatoes. Of its crew of 16 brakemen, and other employees, including men who cared for the fires in the potato cars, one man is missing.

ANOTHER GREAT SUBWAY

BOSTON, March 12.—Work on another artery of Boston's system of underground transit—the projected Riverbank subway, will be begun within a short time, the Boston transit commission having voted unanimously yesterday to start work at once. This action followed a conference with officials of the Boston Elevated Co., whose cars will pass through the subway. It is expected that digging will start by May 1.

The route of the new subway will be from Park street under Beacon hill to the Boston bank of the Charles river, which it follows to a point about one-half mile beyond Harvard bridge. There it will come to the surface.

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BASEBALL NEWS

Some Gossip About New England League Clubs

There is a story current that Tom Tuckey, the former Connecticut leaguer, who was sold to Lynn and went from there to the Boston Nationals, is to be turned back to Lynn. Manager Billy Hamilton of the Lynn team says he knows nothing about it.

According to latest advices from Worcester, Mass., and Nashville, Tenn., Harry Noyes is to play with the Lawrence club of the New England league the coming summer. Bill Bernhardt, the Nashville manager, couldn't get Noyes to return to the south, so he traded him to Worcester. Harry likewise refused to go north and this made trouble for Manager Jess Burkett of Worcester, so Jess turned him back to Nashville. He has been landed there, but nothing has yet been heard from Harry concerning it.

Lawrence could have sold Tommy Catterton and Pembroke Finlayson, but refused to do so. New Bedford offered Brooklyn Cunningham and Bauman for the right to buy the players, but they were passed up, and Lawrence won the players. Exchange.

Looks a bit phony for Dowd has been talking of the big leagues and a bunch of money for Bauman and Cunningham all winter long. New Bedford Standard.

Big Bill Massey is on the police force in Philadelphia.

The signed contracts of Pitcher Arthur Maybold and Outfielder "Ginger" Reynolds, were received at the local headquarters yesterday, and there are now only two men who have failed to sign. These men are John Hess, pitcher, and Pat Crisham, who was purchased from the Syracuse club of the New York State league.

Hess and Crisham have both returned their contracts unsigned. Hess had some trouble with the local management last year, and as a result he was loaned to Northampton for the remainder of the season. He was originally purchased by the local club from Nashville.

It was thought Crisham would be glad to play here as he is a warm personal friend of Manager Bannan. He is in business in Syracuse, however, and this is probably why he does not wish to leave there.

Hess and Crisham must sign with Lawrence or they cannot play ball, unless they are traded to some other team. Lawrence Telegram.

New Bedford's Team

Allan W. Keane, the New Bedford Times baseball expert writes as follows:

Thomas J. Dowd, prince of baseballs, fancy dressers, always wants an oddity.

or a novelty on his ball club, and his latest move to give the New England circuit a drawing card has been to sign up Joe Neptune, a full blooded Oldtown, Maine, Indian, who is said to be a second Sockalexis.

Neptune will not be an entire stranger to the New England league. He was given a few days' workout by the Lynn club near the end of the summer in 1908, although there are some in Lynn who say that it was not Neptune who came there, but a ringier. At any rate the alleged redskin was chased back to his home on Indian Island at Oldtown after a few days of New England league campaigning.

Dowd thinks Neptune will show the fans some class this spring. He has played in the Maine trolley and state leagues for two or three years and made good. He is an outfielder and is very fast. Dowd says he has an arm like Crum.

With Sweatt, the Medford backstop, who has been with the Cherokee Indian team for three seasons, and Neptune, under his wing, Dowd may start a young reservation at Athletic field this spring and act as a government agent. Dowd is angling for another Indian who is said to be a twirler and the trio should make a hit with the fans in the preliminary games.

Has Good Man in Pratt

In Catcher Pratt, whom Dowd gets from Nashville, he has a big chop built like Ulrich and a mighty good man. He has had considerable experience in baseball and is said to be a timely hitter. Moran, the outfielder, is highly recommended. He is fast on his feet, a fine judge of fly balls and a hard hitter.

Dowd has another outfielder from New York city. His name is Thomas Dowling, and he was bought after by the Jersey City club before Sir Thomas was traded to the New York Yankees. Dowling is a left hander and got the "youngster" to accept terms while under the influence of the rainbow rays which shot from the stone.

He has also signed a semi-procatcher named J. P. Walsh, whose home is in Birmingham, New York. An infielder named Caswell from New York city, who played in the Threedy league last season, is another candidate for the Whalers. He is a left hander and very fast getting down to first.

Dowd's fancy runs to big catchers and he has signed up a chap named Tim O'Brien of St. Louis. The boy has been in the Trolley league of the Mount City and is considered ripe for fast company. He is over six feet in his stockings and a heady backstop.

I received a letter yesterday from J. Gary Wilson, the third baseman,

who is now at his home in Baltimore. Gary is working out with a bunch of Baltimore boys on the diamond. He says the grass is green and the weather is like the climate of New England in June. It is the Maryland boy's intention to be in the best of shape this spring and he says that the man who takes his job from him will have to show class.

Among the players with whom Gary is working are Shortell and Aubrey of the Syracuse club; Keister of Wilkes-Barre; Schmidt, Byers and Russell of the Baltimore team; Smith of Portsmouth; Brenner of Norfolk; Sullivan of Louisville; Loudenslager of Newark; "Deacon" Morrissey, ex-Walker, now of Danville; Baker of Trenton and Unglaub of the Washington Americans.

A letter from Fred W. Ulrich, with the Brooklyn Nationals at Hot Springs, brings me a bunch of green grass from the diamond where the big leaguers are working. Ulrich is making a fine impression with the Dodgers and may stay up in the big show in a game the other day he made two hits out of two times at the bat and the Baltimore Eagle war correspondent says he made a fine showing behind the bat, getting away with a heady and lightning double play with the bases full.

Bill Cunningham quits basketball this week. In a letter sent from his home this week he says that he is going to take a three weeks' rest before coming on to New Bedford. He says that he hears there will be a dozen candidates for the infield and he will have to fight to hold his position at the keystone corner.

From far out in the heart of Indianapolis, where he is caring for his father's baker shop, Charles "Patsey" Dauman has written to Manager Dowd, so a letter from his says, asking that he be traded to some western team as he does not want to come to the east again and play ball. Casey is a valuable man to get away and Dowd will not let him go unless he gets something pretty good in exchange.

Work has been started at Athletic field to put the diamond in shape. The fans will likely know the place when they see it next summer for the whole town is scheduled for a grass diamond and the park will have many changes.

The Haverhill Record of recent date had the following to say:

Another element in the increased cost of living which seems to have been ignored by the congressional inquirers and their volunteer assistants is baseball. As our neighbor on the right would say, take a slant at the situation ten years ago. One major league club owned its own grounds, and that one had to buy them to keep a railroad from acquiring a new switchyard. The rest held short-term leases.

There was not a baseball plant in the country which claimed to be able to seat 15,000 people without cheating. The player whose salary was \$2400 a year was either a brilliant veteran or a victim of a vivid imagination. There was only one major league and not half a dozen minor leagues which even hoped to last far beyond the glorious Fourth.

In which there are two major leagues, in which ten or twelve either own their plants outright or occupy them in leased owned by men interested in baseball clubs.

There are five plants of steel and concrete either completed or in process of construction which represent investments of \$1,000,000 or \$1,000,000 apiece. Several of the clubs own 30,000 spectators. The player whose salary does not exceed \$2400 a year is either raw material or unable to make his demands known even by signs. A team manager who draws \$10,000 salary is not an exception, and it is not an isolated case.

The coldest pay for the mammoth stands of concrete and the grounds on which they stand did not come out of the earth or the air; neither are they the product of water, aquatic or stockmarket. The salaries of thousands of players to man the teams of hundreds of major and minor leagues are not paid by sports-loving philanthropists actuated solely by the joint desire to give their townsmen much joy, and their town seats of free advertising. The immense quantity of pesos required to maintain baseball in every city which feels it can afford to advertise from California to Maine and from Duluth to New Orleans, comes out of the pockets of every class. The cruel trust promoter, the unfeeling manufacturer, the greedy machines which collect and supply the food market, the shrewd middlemen, the discredited world of labor, the banker, the broker, the hard-worked, underpaid clerk, the railroad magnate, and, going all the way back to the soil, the farmer—all have contributed their time to baseball.

No matter what color or creed a man is or where he has played before, Al Winn says that he is willing to sign him up for his league. Why not be sure of the league first, Alvin—Haverhill Record.

RUN ON BANK

CLEVELAND, O., March 12.—After as vigorous a run on a banking house as has ever been known in Cleveland, the stamping department of the Society for Savings yesterday regained their equilibrium and yesterday afternoon the pace was over.

In the two days and a half that the run lasted \$125,000 was withdrawn, at the rate of \$1225 a minute. As the majority of the depositors affected were small ones, hundreds amounting to less than \$100, the record made by the bank in handling this withdrawal is considered as remarkable.

TO BEGIN WITH

the Seed you use should be pure and fresh. With proper care you are then sure of a satisfactory crop. We carry only the best. Start hot beds and hot houses now.

Bartlett & Dow
216 Central Street.

MISS DALY, \$7,000,000 HEIRESS, SOON TO BE BRIDE OF COUNT



NEW YORK, March 12.—Not less than \$7,000,000 is the generally accepted estimate of the amount of the fortune of Miss Harriot Daly of this city, daughter of the late Marcus Daly, the "mining king" of Montana and New York, who is to be married to Count Anton Sigray of Hungary here on March 28. Miss Daly is known in New York society for her beauty no less than for her wealth. She is a brunette, with a perfect complexion. Count Sigray is an intimate friend of Count Szechenyi, who was married to Miss Gladys Vanderbilt two years ago. He acted as best man at the Vanderbilt-Szechenyi wedding. It was there that he first met Miss Daly. Sigray is a member of the oldest and wealthiest of Hungarian families, and it is said that his fortune is at least equal to that of his fiancée.

U. S. EXPRESS CO. BOWLING NOTES

May be Taken From the Several Contests on the Alleys

NEW YORK, March 12.—Legal proceedings are again pending in the supreme court of New York state in the suit brought by some of the stockholders of the United States Express company to take the control of the company out of the hands of the family of the Bartlett & Dow.

The Bartlett & Dow clerks and the U. S. Bowling team played a spirited game, and a close game on the Crescent alleys, last night, the latter team winning by six pins. The score:

U. S. Bowling	1	2	3	T
Bartlett	86	79	75	240
Wilbur	89	73	81	243
Nelson	70	91	92	253
Burt	86	88	93	267
Kennedy	86	73	81	240
Totals	427	404	423	1254

The Bartlett & Dow

Bartlett & Dow	1	2	3	T
Lafayette	91	76	73	240
Draper	76	82	80	238
Walsh	89	86	73	248
Cheney	84	89	80	253
Gill	75	87	82	244
Totals	425	421	408	1254

The Bartlett & Dow clerks and the Crescent alleys last night by 21 pins. The score:

Bartlett & Dow	1	2	3	T
Sik	75	79	84	238
Bartlett	105	81	104	290
Olson	75	88	84	247
Kenner	71	85	93	249
Eveling	71	74	76	221
Totals	406	387	411	1204

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Clerks	1	2	3	T
McGrath	78	85	73	236
O'Dea	91	89	96	276
Turnquist	75	71	74	220
Shore	91	96	79	266
W. Willis	79	83	81	243
Totals	414	424	408	1246

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Carriers	1	2	3	T
Maple	74	85	83	242
Baslaw	79	78	75	232
W. Willis	80	74	91	245
Rogers	87	84	81	252
Shaughnessy	88	82	82	252
Totals	418	424	428	1270

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Passenaway tribe, No. 22, I. O. B. M., held its regular meeting last night, and the wigwag held many visiting chiefs. Sachem George Hoole was the big noise. A big raft of routine business was taken care of and a communication was received from Great Sachem Alvin G. Weeks, stating that the smaller tribes have taken a new life and report gains in membership. There are 125 tribes in this reservation with a total of 16,575 members. The degree staff exemplified the hunter and warrior's degree on three adopted brothers.

Wanamit Lodge, K. of P., No. 25, held a regular meeting last night, and its staff worked the third rank on one of its regulars. The lodge, No. 25, held a regular meeting last night, and its staff worked the third rank on one of its regulars. The lodge, No. 25, held a regular meeting last night, and its staff worked the third rank on one of its regulars.

BAILEY GUILTY

He Was Brains of Goldsboro Swindle

NEW YORK, March 12.—Francis G. Bailey, the leading spirit in the Goldsboro venture a year ago last spring, was found guilty of grand larceny in the first degree yesterday in the criminal branch of the supreme court. The jury was out less than fifteen minutes.

It was the windup of a string of circumstances of unusual nature beginning in March, 1908, when the Export Shipping company at 11 Broadway, of which Bailey was president, and his brother, Albert W., was treasurer, sent out a lot of circulars to manufacturing firms in this country. They were in the form of a letter, and they were from machinery and tools to phonographs and champagne for the General Supply company of Townsville, Australia. They placed orders, directed the goods sent to New York for transportation, and in most cases made first payments.

Then Bailey and his brother secured the former Clyde liner Goldsboro in Philadelphia and brought her to this city where she was loaded with about \$35,000 worth of merchandise. They drew on the General Supply company, discounted the shipping drafts, and with all the available ready money in the English gold on board the Goldsboro sailed away, not to Australia but to Honduras.

What was left of the Export Shipping company went bankrupt and the National Association of Manufacturers got busy. The brothers were traced in Puerto Cortes, Honduras, and conspired to give up their project of dealing in mahogany to come back to New York. That night Francis Bailey slipped over the side, stole a boat and escaped. He wrote to a friend in this country that he was so close to the officers search that he could not get away. He had touched one of them. Police Lieutenant Berry, who had him in charge, lost his job.

A year later Albert Bailey, was brought back and convicted. He was sentenced to seven years in Sing Sing. Through a letter sent to the prison the elder brother was traced to Vancouver. He was posing as Col. Edward Shannon Kilronnel on a ranch near Whinnock, New Westminster. One afternoon last spring Detective Wilber of the central office saw him feeling over the top of a Japanese laborer. Bailey denied his identity, but he consented to go to Vancouver. There he admitted that he was Bailey, but declared that he couldn't be extradited for his crime; he had had a lawyer look it up, he said. When Wilber showed him the law Bailey found that his solicitor had counted on out of date code. If he had known the law he would not have settled there, he told the detective.

Assistant District Attorney Nott picked out from many the complaint of the Keystone Driller company, which had lost \$1,326.15. Bailey's lawyer tried to show that the Goldsboro might have been on its way to Australia for all the court could tell and declared that there were sixty-five days grace, allowing for mail transportation to Australia, before it could be said that a crime had been committed. Bailey was arrested before this time had elapsed.

Mr. Nott brought into evidence letters showing that Bailey had secured a \$5,000 acre concession in Honduras, a country the United States had no extradition treaty with at that time. The goods on board the Goldsboro seemed to the prosecutor to show that the duration was the ultimate destination. Such things as hammocks, beds, photographic supplies and other things that were rare down there but could be bought in Australia made up the cargo.

Bailey will be sentenced by Justice Davis on Monday.

ANNUAL BANQUET

OF DELTA UPSILONS HELD IN NEW YORK

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TO TAKE WAITRESS AS HIS BRIDE

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FRANK CLARK, IRISH CHAMPION, REGARDED AS DARK HORSE



NEW YORK, March 12.—Widespread interest is being taken in the coming twenty mile race to be held in Madison Square Garden March 14. Entered in the event are eight of the fastest runners in the world, and a new record for the distance is expected. The men who will compete in the race are as follows: Fred Meadows, the Canadian who won the fifteen mile event held here recently; Gustave Ijngstrom, the Swede, who finished second to Meadows; Jim Crowley, the former amateur champion, who finished second in the Edinburgh Marathon held in Scotland recently. The latter is regarded as the dark horse in the race. The event will revive the duel between Ijngstrom and Fred Meadows, which has been going on ever since the former arrived in this country. Meadows has never shown his ability to carry his great speed over the twenty mile distance, and Ernest Hjorthberg, Ijngstrom's manager, is ready to make a good wager, man against man, that the Swede will trim the Canadian when they meet.

TWO PROMINENT MEMBERS OF THIS SEASON'S HOLDOUT BRIGADE



As the opening of the baseball season draws closer the fans are deeply agitated because of the refusal of several stars to attach their signatures to their contracts. Although the 1910 holdout brigade is not nearly as large as last year's, there are two prominent members of it—Howard Camnitz, one of the Pittsburgh Nationals' crack twirlers, and Owen Bush, the bustling shortstop of the Detroit Americans—whose respective teams would suffer by their absence. Pitcher Camnitz, who has not handled the pill for the Tigers, been a member of the Pittsburgh aggregation for the last two seasons, has announced that what his pay envelope must contain before he signs up with the job.

MARINES BARRED

Not Allowed to Enter Theatre

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Two United States marines in uniform were denied admission to a theatre last night. The man at the door prevented their entering and handed them back the money they had paid for their tickets. Explanations were demanded, but were not given. The marines demanded admission but were denied. They were Corporal Edward Powell and Private Samuel Alsage of the 11th U. S. Mayflower.

The refusal of admission to the marines was not the first of its kind which had occurred recently at the same theatre. A conference was held yesterday between the proprietor and officers of the navy department. The proprietor told the officers that he excluded the men under a rule of the theatre prohibiting admission of persons conspicuously dressed.

He said: "Even President Taft would be excluded if he applied for admission dressed in a sweater and riding clothes."

Patriotic societies have made an issue of the matter and further conferences are to be held pending possible action on the part of the excluded sailors.

CREW RESCUED

Officer and Five Men Picked Up

SEATTLE, Wash., March 12.—A special cable from Seward, Alaska, says that a wireless message received there from the United States revenue cutter Tahoma tells of the rescue of the boat crew that set out nine weeks ago to seek aid for the survivors of the wrecked steamer Karaiton, which was wrecked in Ilamna bay on Cook's inlet Jan. 5. Two days after the disaster Second Mate Gus Swanson and five men set out in an open boat to Kodiak for aid. February 2 the survivors who remained on the shore were rescued by the steamship Victoria. After the boat crew, which had been missing a month, had been rescued, the revenue cutter Tahoma was sent on a cruise around Kodiak island. No details of the rescue have been received.

CORPORATIONS

To Pay a Tax of Over \$25,000,000

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Approximately 300 corporations amenable to the law imposing a tax of one per cent. of their net incomes above \$5000 have made returns to the internal revenue bureau. Additional returns are expected to swell the number which will be in keeping with the estimate made by the officials before the law became operative.

There are 409,000 corporations listed in the United States but a large number have for some time been generally regarded as "dead" and existing in name only.

It is now generally believed from the reports of collectors thus far at hand that the estimate of \$25,000,000 revenue from the corporation tax this year may be exceeded slightly.

BOY INJURED

IS IN DANGER OF LOSING TWO FINGERS

BOSTON, March 12.—Capt. Peabody of the Joy street station is investigating the circumstances surrounding the explosion of the heavy percussion caps which were being carried in the pocket of Bennie Stone, a Shubert theatre employee, resulting in serious injury to himself and Alex Flax, an 11-year-old boy, on North Russell street yesterday afternoon. Stone may lose two fingers and the boy's right ankle is badly cut and bruised.

In the heavy bottle carried in Stone's pockets were several hundred caps used for certain stage effects, and he claims that while stopping quickly aside to let others pass him on the street the bottle in his coat was swung against a brick building and exploded. Young Flax was sitting on the doorstep of a vacant store directly in the path of the explosion and but a few feet away. Although pieces of the glass flew over his head, smashing two plate-glass windows and causing out pieces of the woodwork, his only serious wound is a laceration of his right ankle.

Stone ran to the Massachusetts General hospital, about 100 yards from the scene of the accident, and Flax was carried there by persons who witnessed the accident.

GBBS DEFEATED O'CONNELL

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 12.—By forcing the fight for the last three rounds after he had been outboxed in the first five, Willie Gibbs, the Philadelphia lightweight, gained the referee's decision over Jeff O'Connell at the Memphis Athletic club last night. O'Connell's ear was torn and his mouth badly swollen as a result of Gibbs' punishment.

Evening Sessions Continue

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CHANDLEY SHOT

After He Had Injured Two Persons

PAWTUCKET, R. I., March 12.—Resenting his expulsion last night by an officer from his wife's home at 210 West street, where he was an unwelcome visitor, Austin Chandley, 45 years old, returned and fired a revolver at his wife. The bullet missed her, but struck her sister, Mrs. Rose Carry, wounding her seriously in the right leg.

JIMMY GARDNER

Had Better of Bout With Clabby

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 12.—Jimmy Gardner of Lowell, Mass., and Jimmy Clabby of Milwaukee, fought a 10-round no-decision bout before the Badger A. C. last night. Both men finished strong. The verdict of the experts at the ringside was that Gardner had a slight shade over his opponent.

The men fought at catch-weights, Gardner being apparently about 15 pounds the heavier.

THE GRAND TRUNK

To Build Road in Rhode Island

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 12.—The hearing on the Grand Trunk's application for a charter for the Southern New England Railway company in Rhode Island before the house committee on corporations closed with a dramatic climax, in which Vice President Edward G. Buckland of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad promised that his road would not oppose the pending charter.

The climax came as the result of the production of a cablegram from London, stating that the Grand Trunk's board of directors at a meeting there had fully endorsed the plans for the extension into this state. A few minutes before, refusing to be interrupted by the Grand Trunk representatives, Mr. Buckland had intimated that President Hayes of the Grand Trunk did not have the backing of his directors in making promise to build a road here.

The cablegram came here via the Grand Trunk's offices at Montreal, directed to First Vice President E. H. Fitzhugh, who spoke at the hearing here. Mr. Fitzhugh gave the message to John S. Murdock, the counsel for the road here. The cablegram came from President Hayes in London and was as follows:

"Providence branch discussed by board this morning; action taken fully approved and you may so state."

The reading of the cablegram was greeted with shouts and cheers and Chairman Haysard of the committee rapped vainly for order. Every eye turned on Mr. Buckland, who was manifestly surprised. Mr. Buckland said, "undoubtedly that is the vote of the board of directors of the Grand Trunk railway of Canada. If the vote is furthermore I absolutely withdraw the objection I have made." These words bespoke doubt as to the bona fide nature of the petition and the Grand Trunk's purposes in securing the charter. Before the reading of the cablegram, he said that when the Grand Trunk railway to build this road, the objections which have heretofore stated may be regarded as absolutely withdrawn and I shall then proceed only to discuss some features of the charter."

HALLEY'S COMET

PROF. LOWELL DESCRIBES THE TAIL OF IT

BOSTON, March 12.—The "airiest approach to nothing set in the midst of naught" is the description given the tail of Halley's comet by Prof. Percival Lowell, astronomer and director of the Flagstaff, Ariz., observatory.

"On account of its vacuity it could have no injurious effect on humanity; even if it were the deadliest of gases," said Prof. Lowell in disputing the theory that danger to the earth's inhabitants from a comet is possible and probable.

Further discussing the subject Prof. Lowell said:

"If it were true that the approach of Halley's comet is the cause of storms and floods the world has experienced during the last few months we should have a never-ending succession of disasters for we are visited on an average by five or six comets each year, even though we do not see them."

600 DELEGATES

To Attend Stationary Engineers' Convention

The 14th annual convention of the stationary association of the National Association of Stationary Engineers will be held in this city July 7, 8 and 9, and about 600 delegates, visitors and exhibitors are expected to be present. Prescott and Rundle halls have been secured for the exhibition of steam appliances and supplies by local and other firms from all parts of the country. The state convention last met in this city in 1898. Since that time the association has grown and its prestige leads the manufacturers and dealers in steam appliances to exhibit at these conventions as they are in a position to meet those interested in what they have for sale. The public will be admitted free and those interested in steam plants will be urged to visit the exhibition. It will open at noon of the 7th and continue through the evening and all day of the 8th.

The convention proper will meet on the morning of the 8th. The 8th will be devoted to sightseeing and a field day at one of the nearby parks. On the eve of the 8th, either a banquet or smoker will be provided for the entertainment of the visitors.

The local association, No. 17, is putting forth its best efforts to make this the best state convention in the history of the organization.

Lowell, No. 17, is the second largest association in the state and the banner association of the country in the educational work of the national body, it having won two firsts, two seconds, and three third prizes, in as many years, a record that is not reached by any other association in the country and one of which it is justly proud.

It numbers among its members the brightest and best engineers in this vicinity, and it has through its educational work and discussions saved thousands of dollars to plant owners who are fortunate to have an engineer or foreman in their ranks who is a member of the association. Lectures by engineers and technical men are given during the fall and winter and with the educational work and discussions of practical questions brought up at each meeting the time is profitably spent. The watchword of the N. A. S. E. "To Earn More—Learn More" is thoroughly believed in by its members.

The convention committee met Wednesday evening and organized with T. N. Kelsey as chairman, Joseph Collins secretary, and E. M. Pratt treasurer. Sub-committees were appointed and the plans of the convention formulated.

TEXTILE LOST

Defeated by Lawrence High Athletes

The brawn, muscle and agility of the Lowell Textile school received a set back at the hands of the Lawrence High school athletes in the city hall, Lawrence, last night. The Lowell boys were defeated by a score of 60 to 16. The Textile enthusiasts didn't make any and voices in the street when they arrived before the event was the midnight hour. The result of the event was as follows:

In the first trial heat of the 20-yard dash Wise of the Textile school was first and Ayer of Lawrence, second. The time was three seconds. In the second trial heat Mahoney was first and Ransom second, both Laurensians. The time was three seconds. Mahoney of Lawrence, won the final heat in 3.1-5 seconds, with Wise, Textile, second and Ransom, Lawrence, third.

In the 25-yard hurdles Ayer, Lawrence, won the first heat, with Johnson, Lawrence, second. Time 43-5 seconds. The second trial heat was won by Mahoney of Lawrence, with Wise, Textile, second. The time was 42-5 seconds. In the final Ayer of Lawrence was a winner, Mahoney, Lawrence, second, with Wise, Textile, third. The time was four seconds.

The 600-yard run showed Lawrence taking everything. Ransom was first, Westland was second, and Lawrence, third. The time was 1:26-3-5, a new record for the track.

In the high jump Ransom of Lawrence was first, jumping five feet and one inch, Crane, Textile, and Cheney, Textile, were second and third, respectively.

Lawrence took the top place in the shot put, Yule putting the sphere 37 feet and six inches. Middleton and Harrison, Textile, were second and third.

Ellis, Lawrence, won the 1000-yard run, doing it in two minutes and 45 seconds. Krough, Textile, was second, and Sullivan, Lawrence, was third.

In the 300 yard dash Ayer of Lawrence won in 41-4-5 seconds. Teschner, Lawrence, was second, and Murphy, Textile, was third.

The class team race, between classes of 12 and 13 was won by the former in 2 minutes 43-5 seconds.

The relay race between Textile and Lawrence was won by the down-river men. The teams were made up as follows: Lawrence—Ayer, Mahoney, Teschner and Ransom; Textile—Keough, Murphy, Wise and Duval.

The officials of the games were as follows: Starter, W. A. Dunn; referee, D. J. Linahan; clerk of course, E. J. Ford; judges, C. Seale, E. S. Riley and A. E. Hagley; timekeeper, H. H. Nickerson, E. A. O'Hara, C. F. Sullivan and P. N. Hogan; announcer, Daniel O'Connell; timers and measurers, J. E. Haight and R. H. Fox; scorer, J. F. Selfrank.

BOWLING CONGRESS

DETROIT, March 12.—St. Louis was awarded the 1911 tournament and the old officers and members of the executive committee were re-elected with a few exceptions at the annual meeting of the American Bowling congress yesterday. On the alleys, another day passed without a change in the leadership in any of the three classes.

STORM WARNING

NEW YORK, March 12.—The local weather bureau has received the following special from Washington:

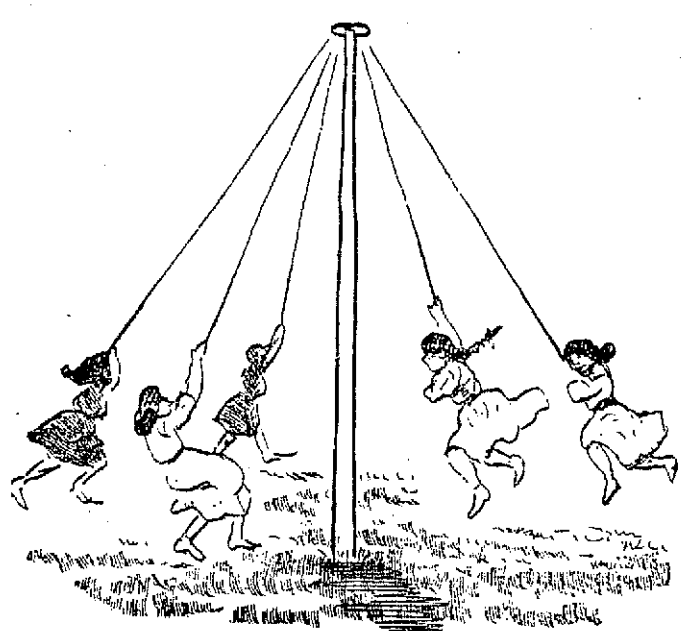
Northeast storm warning ordered displayed at 10 a. m. along the coast from Morhead City, N. C. to Boston. Brisk and high southerly winds shifting to northwest. Storm off North Carolina coast moving northwest.

RAILROAD MANAGERS REFUSE

CHICAGO, March 12.—It is unofficially announced that the railroad managers yesterday refused to subsidize every concession demanded by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, representing 25,000 men on 10 western roads, excepting arbitration of the wage question.

PUBLIC PLAYGROUNDS

Judge Pickman Outlines Board's Plans for the Future

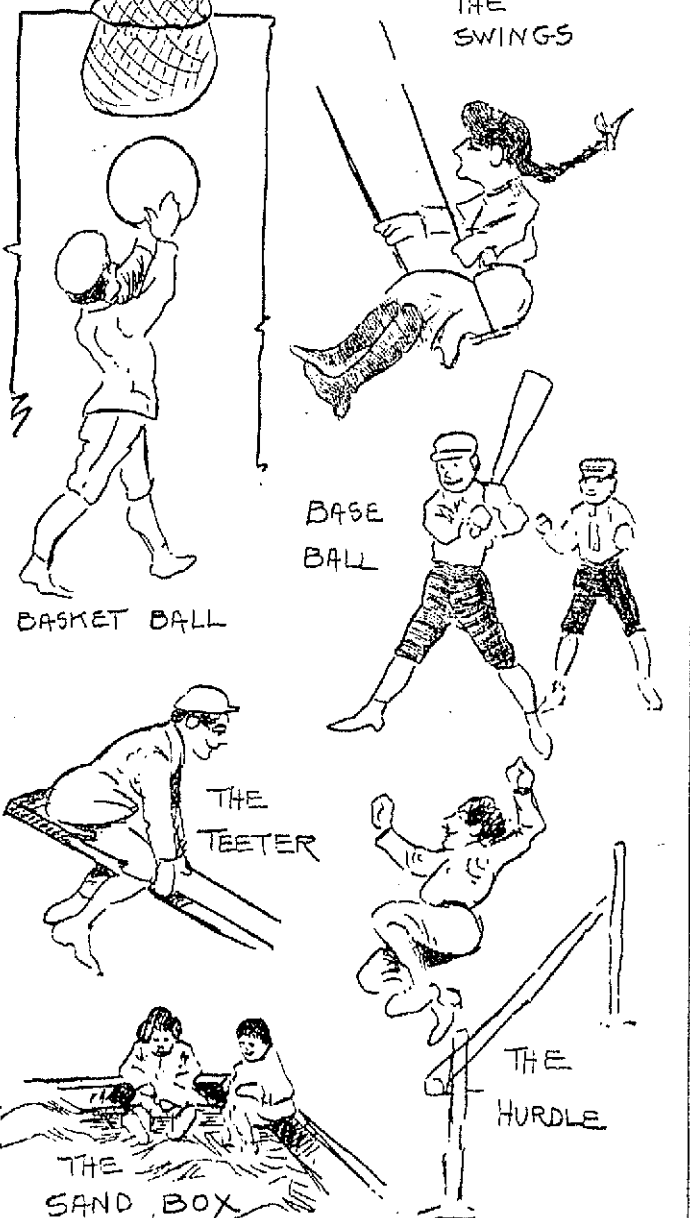


THE JOY OF PLAYING TOGETHER A FEATURE THAT MAY SOON BE SEEN IN LOWELL.

Apparatus and Supervisor for Little Canada Park—Money Needed to Complete the Playground at Fort Hill Park—Shower Baths to be Installed There

While there is a general sentiment abroad for a city beautiful, more breathing places for the residents of the city, the park commission appears to be the only organization that is doing any practical work along these lines for the commission has recently appointed a sub-committee consisting of the chairman and Mr. Greene to make plans for the opening and improvement of the local playgrounds.

of The Sun this morning Judge Pickman said: "The sub-committee is now considering the matter of supervisors for the playgrounds. These supervisors of necessity will be few in number owing to our limited appropriation and hence we are proceeding slowly so as to get the men best fitted for the position for they must be instructors along with being supervisors."



PLAY GROUND PLEASURES SUCH AS WE MAY SEE ON OUR PUBLIC PLAYGROUNDS DURING THE COMING SUMMER.

improvement of the local playgrounds. Last year the supervisors were at which promise to be an important feature of Lowell's growing park system this season. In Judge Pickman and Mr. Greene the commission has selected two enthusiastic who may be depended upon to make an excellent showing.

Speaking of the work with a report promises to be of importance, the ill-

Hot Water

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A NEW PROPOSITION TO LOWELL PUBLIC

We invite Housekeepers to come to our John Street Appliance Store to see and to understand the working of a Water Heater.

The Vulcan Heater

An appliance for the heating of water by gas flame. The appliance that will furnish hot water for dish washing in 5 minutes; that will furnish 10 gallons of hot water for the bath in 20 minutes. That in supplying 10 gallons of hot water will consume but one and one-third cents of gas.

OUR OFFER

We will install the Vulcan Heater in any house, set up complete ready to deliver hot water for \$15.00 Cash Payment, or we will do all as above on four instalment payments as follows:

First Payment.....\$5.00, when order is given
Second Payment.....\$4.00, at end of six months
Third Payment.....\$4.00, at end of twelve months
Final Payment.....\$3.00, at end of eighteen months

The Vulcan Heater will fit any and every kitchen. If this announcement shall interest YOU, it is for YOU to call at John Street Appliance Store where you may see the entire operations and fully understand. Three thousand (3000) of these Vulcan Heaters were placed in the city of Detroit, Mich., during 1909.

Lowell Gas Light Company

the Canada park, and we intend to place additional apparatus at Little Canada and have a supervisor there as well. Of course a supervisor will be necessary at the South common as was the case last year. As yet the schedules have not been arranged but everything will be in readiness when the good weather comes. The commission hopes this year to do more for the girls than was done last year. It hopes to diversify their play, that is when they become tired of the more strenuous sports to find them something of a lighter nature after the fashion of kindergarten work and sewing to occupy them and the same idea will be carried out in regard to the boys. We will try a little at a time with a small outlay and our work in this respect will be purely experimental.

In regard to the apparatus our idea is to procure such apparatus as will permit the least number of accidents. In some cities apparatus is taken from the ground when the supervisor is not around accidents occur. We desire to avoid this if possible. We have purchased some improved swings and teeters and some Giants' Stirlies which are extremely popular with the children and not dangerous. The Giants' Stirlie appears in the drawing. The children swing around on this, touching the ground with the feet every few yards. We also will provide for base ball, the medicine ball, vaulting and jumping.

Fort Hill Playground
Asked relative to the Fort Hill playground now in process of construction and which when completed according to the plans of the commission will be the finest of its kind in all New England Judge Pickman said: "On our appropriation last year we built the necessary retaining wall for the playground on the westerly side of the hill and with \$1500 or \$2000 we can complete it according to the original plans and give the public a playground that cannot be excelled in any city of New England. We have room for a large ball field as large as most of the big league grounds. On one side the hill rises gracefully from the ball field making a natural grand stand partially shaded by trees, which will comfortably accommodate 5000 people. In addition to the ball field there is room enough for other apparatus and it is the commission's intention when its means permit to establish comfort stations and shower baths on the Fort Hill grounds. This work, however, needs an additional appropriation and

the residents of that section of the city would seem entitled to it. Belvidere has no play ground outside of Fort Hill park. All of the vacant land upon which the boys and girls used to play has been built upon and now they have nothing left but the streets and this playground now in process of construction."

YALE ATHLETE

IS SAID TO BE MENTALLY UNSOUND.

NEW YORK, March 12.—Lloyd Miller Vandeventer, a former Yale football player, was yesterday committed to Bellevue hospital by Magistrate O'Connor to be examined as to his mental condition, at the request of his wife, Mrs. Anna Vandeventer, who said he had been acting queerly for several days.

Mrs. Vandeventer insisted there was something the matter with her husband's mind. She said he had threatened her and she was afraid to live with him.

Mrs. Vandeventer's maiden name was Anna Stearns Blake. Her father, Nelson T. Blake, lives in Hampton, N. H. She was secretly married to Vandeventer while he was attending Yale.

SKULL FRACTURED

MAN IS NOT EXPECTED TO LIVE

NORRIDGEWOOK, Me., March 12.—Threatened, it is claimed, with assault by Ernest Warren, a former employe, George Harlow, a prominent lumber dealer, yesterday, it is charged, knocked the man down with a club. Warren's skull was fractured and he was hurt so severely he may die.

Mr. Harlow told the authorities that he had discharged Warren, who had worked at Harlow's sawmill at Martin Stream, three miles from here. After his discharge, Warren, according to Mr. Harlow, drank heavily and while intoxicated attempted to attack his former employer.

According to the police, Harlow said he was forced to strike him for self-protection. No arrest was made.

THE FAIRBANKS SAIL

LIVERPOOL, March 12.—Former Vice President and Mrs. Fairbanks sailed for New York today on the steamer Mauretania.

I take much pleasure in writing this letter to you in praise of your valuable medicine. I had a very bad spell of sickness and could not eat. My whole body ached. Hearing of DR. GRADY'S PURE MALT AND RYE, I decided to try a bottle. Before I had used half a bottle my appetite came back and all my aches left me. In fact I became a new person as far as my health was concerned.

Truly yours,
FRANK L. BARNABY,
Burlington, Mass.

Appetite Restored

AND ALL MY ACHES LEFT ME

Read This Man's Testimonial

NOTABLE BOOK

On Ireland by Editor Sutherland of Phila.

"Ireland Yesterday and Today," a book by Hugh Sutherland, associate editor of the Philadelphia North American, and treating of the causes that have largely overthrown the old order of things in Ireland, is receiving the most flattering notices from the press of this country.

The Philadelphia North American, one of the oldest and greatest papers in this country, has been distinguished for supporting every movement looking to liberty and good government whether in this country or abroad. Seven years ago, or to be exact, in the summer of 1902, it sent Mr. Hugh Sutherland to Ireland to investigate the land question as the wronging of the people, and its height and the question of right and wrong as between the landlords and the people was the subject of much controversy.

Mr. Sutherland went to Ireland a disinterested and unprejudiced party to do the work assigned him. He was largely overthrown by the facts he found, and he made a tour of the country from north to south and east to west, entering the homes of the people, talking with the farmers, the business men and even with the landlords, thus finding out for himself the facts of the situation. In a series of letters to his newspaper in Philadelphia, these letters which were widely read presented the land question in a clearer light than ever before by any American newspaper. He explained the meaning of the land question, its effects upon the people, the conditions, the miseries of the people as a result of turning the best land into pastures and driving the people to the barren mountain sides. He told also of the agitation conducted by the Irish nationalist party and the plans for the overthrow of the existing system of landlordism as well as the coercion by which it had so long been upheld and protected.

On his first visit he predicted the success of the Irish people in driving out the landlords, and this prediction was fully verified as shown by the letters written on his subsequent visit. The act for the abolition of landlordism in Ireland was passed in 1903 and after six years under that act the progress noted by Mr. Sutherland on his second visit in 1909, was really astounding.

On his tour he passed largely over the same ground he had trodden in 1902, in order that he might note the changes, if any, in local conditions effected during that time. If the letters of his former visit were discouraging from their descriptions of misery and gloom, his second series of letters formed a striking contrast in their expression of the new spirit that had possessed the people; the hopes that had inspired them with the departure of the landlords and the restoration of the land to the people from whom it was stolen centuries before. The evidence on every hand of a general uplift, of

coming prosperity, content and happiness were all reflected in these letters from Mr. Sutherland, as published in the Philadelphia North American. The letters created something of a sensation in this country as indicating the accomplishment of a peaceful revolution in Ireland through the work of the United Irish League.

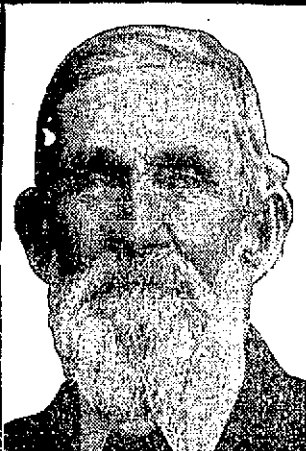
After describing the vast improvements in the homes of the people and their modes of living, Mr. Sutherland turned to the question of home rule, and on this subject he gives some of the most valuable historic information regarding the alleged conquests of Ireland, the penal laws, the corruption that led to the act of union, the misgovernment by Dublin castle, and the reign of landlordism, which made home rule impossible.

In concluding his letters, Mr. Sutherland predicts that home rule is bound to come. The people support the movement under Redmond. These letters are entirely the most illuminating that can be found on the Irish question. They show the result of great research and are beyond a doubt the most careful presentation of the land question that has ever been published in Ireland for the close of the last century. Some of Mr. Sutherland's descriptions are very graphic. One of particular note tells of the last eviction at which the policemen of Ireland assisted, an eviction that today would be impossible. It is a touching story of a great battle at the close of the last century, a battle in which the people fought against the eviction of a farmer until overcome by the butting rams and bayonets of the government cohorts, sent to enforce the decrees of the landlord. No eviction of the kind will ever again occur in Ireland, Mr. Sutherland asserts.

A great many of the sympathizers with the Irish parliamentary movement regretted that they had not been able to get all the letters, and Hon. Michael J. Ryan of Philadelphia, national president of the United Irish League, conceived the idea of supplying this need by having all the letters published in book form with Mr. Sutherland's comments. The book is quite a respectable volume, and any one who wants the most accurate and up-to-date information of the Ireland of today should possess a copy. No library without this book can give the truth about Ireland and the movements that have been conducted since the days of Parnell.

The book is published for the benefit of the United Irish League as the result of Mr. Sutherland's generosity, and whatever funds, if any are realized by the sale of the work will be turned over to the United Irish League. Hon. John E. Redmond has written a complimentary but conservative introduction to the book, in which he takes occasion to thank Mr. Sutherland and his paper for the splendid uplift given to the movement by this gratuitous service by the Philadelphia North American. He shows that if the truth be known of the Irish question it will win the sympathy of the world, and nothing that has been written in this country or by the press of any country has done so much to form a correct public opinion and to disseminate correct information upon the Irish question of today as the publication of Mr. Sutherland's letters and their subsequent appearance in book form. The price of the book is one dollar, postage 17 cents extra. Orders may be sent to the Philadelphia North American, Philadelphia, or to John O'Callaghan, Room 43, Globe Building, Boston.

Bronchitis at 78



Mr. J. M. Ellett Says Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey Has Prolonged His Life Five Years. It Relieved and Strengthened Him When Nothing Else Did Him Any Good.

"I have been taking Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey for six or seven years for Bronchitis, which I have had for about twelve years. Before this I tried doctors and everything else, but nothing did me any good. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey was recommended to me, as it would benefit me and would build up my whole body and system. I commenced taking it and found that it did me more good than all the medicines I had taken in the past.

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FLAG CARNIVAL

By the Women of Grace Church

The Highland club house was the scene of another very pleasant affair yesterday. It was the second annual flag carnival by the women of the Grace Universalist church.

The young people of the church danced from 4 to 6 in the afternoon and in the evening general dancing was enjoyed by the people of the church and their friends who filled the hall to its capacity. The American flag was there in all its glory. The walls were draped with American flags of various sizes and the stage background was set with a large flag. Sale tables were well provided and did a rushing business both afternoon and evening. The candy table was presided over by Miss Maude Marshall and Miss Edith Merchant assisted by a committee of young people. Mrs. Martha Richardson and Mrs. M. P. McFarland directed the sale of the bazaar table and the gray table was looked after by Miss Eva Rollins, Mrs. Irene Derby and Miss Ruth Crawford. The fancy table was in charge of Mrs. Charles N. Woodward and the luncheon table was in charge of Mrs. R. A. Greene. The decorations were in charge of William Thompson, Edward Woodward, Robert Potter, Moses Strauss and Lawrence and Wallace Safford.

GAVE HIMSELF UP

J.D. Pomerleau Charged With Larceny

John D. Pomerleau, aged 19 years, walked into the police station about 9 o'clock last night and there, and then requested to be locked up. Captain A. Atkinson acquiesced, and John D. was put into a cell in the rear of the station. Why did he do it? Because his mother told him to, and that's reason enough. He said that he and a man named McGaughan were wanted for breaking and entering and larceny in the home of Fred L. Thompson on the nights of Feb. 22 and March 1. They got some valuable stuff. McGaughan was arrested a few days after the second break, but Pomerleau left town. Both men were indicted by the grand jury. Pomerleau lives at 592 Middlesex Street.

GOT TWO MONTHS

INDIAN THREW CONDUCTOR THROUGH CAR WINDOW

BOSTON, March 12.—Everett Jones, a full-blooded Indian, was sentenced to two months in the house of correction yesterday on the charge of assault on a street car conductor. It was testified that the Indian threw the conductor through the car window at the corner of Washington and Milk streets. He was arrested after a fight with Police-man Maurice Fitzgerald.

Mrs. Louise D. Downes of 161 Northampton street was sentenced to six months in the house of correction on the charge of assault upon her stepdaughter, Margaret, aged 16. It was alleged that the woman threw a lighted lamp at her husband and that it struck the daughter and exploded. She started, which caused serious damage to the house. Two firemen were injured and an aged woman had a narrow escape from death from being struck by the fire flames.

Frederick Lyons, 21 Quincy place, Roxbury, and John J. Punch of Communion street, were held in \$2000 each for the grand jury on the charge of highway robbery. They were charged with pulling Charles Hawkins, a waiter, into the doorway at 16 Cornhill street, Thursday night, and robbing him.

GAS SAVING INVENTION
Just a little valve—the work of a minute to adjust—and you have a saving of from 25 to 50 per cent in your gas bills, says the inventor.

This tells the story of the invention of Mr. F. N. Labele of this city, after years of experiments. It means much, he says, to the people of Lowell, and gas consumers all over the country. It may not make a hit with the gas companies, but that isn't worrying the inventor.

The valve is a sort of door which is placed within the gas pipe at any point between the meter and the first light making it effective as a saving medium for the house. When the gas jet is lighted, the pressure resulting forces the little door open; when a second gas jet is lighted, the door acts automatically under the added pressure and permits just enough gas to flow by to insure a bright, steady flame. Thus, Mr. Labele says, all the waste due to flickering or over-pressure is eliminated.

The economizer can be installed in a pipe of any size. For the ordinary household the saving of 25 to 50 per cent is claimed, with an outlay of only \$2. The device, on the other hand, cannot wear out. If a family moves, the economizer can be removed in a minute and installed in a new gas pipe. For big blocks, requiring a regulator of larger size, a different arrangement is made. It will be put in at the company's own expense on a basis of 25 per cent of the savings.

The invention may be seen at the demonstrating office, 4 Merrimack sq., commencing March 14th.

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B.&N. Railway Extends Its Courtesy

"Every little bit added to what you've got makes a little bit more." Firemen in uniform will be allowed to ride "free" on all cars of the Boston & Northern Railroad tomorrow. This is extending the firemen the same privilege as is extended the policeman. Captain Burns of Engine 4 is credited with being the "man behind" the free fire movement, and the following communication, addressed to Mr. Burns, is self-explanatory:

Boston & Northern Street Railway Co., 84 State St., Boston, March 10, 1910.

Office of Vice President and General Manager, Mr. J. Edward Burns, Engine 4, High Street, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir:—Referring to the subject matter of the pending petition, discussed at this morning's conference, I beg to advise you that instructions will issue that commencing Sunday, March 13th, permanent firemen of Lowell shall be carried free within the city limits, when in uniform, and with the understanding that they shall not occupy seats whenever same are required for the use of paying passengers.

Respectfully, Robert S. Goff, Vice Pres. and Gen. Manager.

DRACUT RECOUNT

Failed to Make Change in Result

Dracut's recount for selectmen, highway surveyor and cemetery commission took place before the board of registrars in the town hall last night. The revised list of the candidates are as follows: Blanks, 274, lost 2; Cullinan, 215, lost 2; Garland, 232, lost 2; Jones, 261, lost 2; McDonald, 273, lost 2; Polard, 266, gained 1.

Highway surveyor, Carroll, 291, lost 2; Richardson, 283, lost 1.

Cemetery commissioner, Farrell, 259, lost 2; Priddy, 258, lost 2.

II. Fred Boddy served on the board of registrars for the recount, replacing Thomas Carriel, who was recently elected town warden.

The school board met last night and re-organized. Nelson E. Huntley was chosen chairman and Charles H. Cutler, secretary. The sub-committees were appointed as follows: Centre, N. E. Huntley; Goodhue school, Bernard Maguire; Parker avenue, John Hutchinson; Collinsville, C. J. Cutler; Broadway, Corlies Smith; Dracut, Mervin Richardson and Kenwood, Moses Dingle.

The committee on books and supplies was constituted as follows: Jas. Mozley, Hiram Lincoln and Supt. Chase.

The committee on repairs is as follows: Hiram Lincoln, James Mozley, and E. H. Hoadley.

The committee on transportation was named as follows: C. B. Cutler, Hiram Lincoln and James Mozley.

WORTH THE PRICE
The entertainment and lecture to be given in Associate hall Sunday night by Division 1 of the A. O. H. for the building fund, will be well worth the price of admission. Mr. Thomas P. Riley, who will deliver a lecture on Ireland, is a man well qualified to deal with the subject. He has lectured in Lowell before on a similar subject so that he is no stranger here. The musical part of the program will be especially good, the pipe of Ireland, an instrument having significant significance in take part. Miss Katharine L. Bullion, who made so great a hit in the "Maid and the Middy" recently, will sing "The Low Backed Car" and the "Star Spangled Banner." The Glendale quartet will appear in choice selections, as well as other well known local talent.

USED A FORTUNE

To Keep His Door Open

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 12.—Adelard Levesque, until recently a struggling painter forced to work hard to earn his living and glad of any work that came his way, has, through his lucky find in the St. Lawrence river, while fishing, risen to a position where he can turn down an offer of \$20,000 for the lump of ambergris, which he mistook for a water animal and fired upon with both barrels of a shotgun.

Mr. Levesque stated that he was offered \$20,000 for the waxy-like mass by State Chemist C. D. Howard. It is not known whether Mr. Howard made the offer on his own responsibility or if the interests of other parties, but Mr. Levesque said he refused. Mr. Levesque confided to a friend that when he disposed of the precious ambergris he intended to settle on a government farm in Canada.

Mr. Levesque used his find to keep a door open, and having no knowledge of its value, did not know that a fortune lay within his grasp for three years until a Boston physician offered him \$125 for the ambergris. Then he investigated and was informed of its value by Chemist Howard, who at first did not know the name of the man who approached him.

Mr. Levesque lives at 285 Chestnut street. He has resided in Manchester 12 years and has a wife and two children, one a boy of 15 years and the other a girl of 16 months. His brother Florence is in the west at present.

DIED SUDDENLY

LAUGHLIN WAS BROTHER-IN-LAW OF PRES. TAFT

PITTSBURGH, March 12.—Thomas McK. Laughlin, a brother-in-law of President and Mrs. William H. Taft, died suddenly of cerebral hemorrhage yesterday, at his home in this city. Mr. Laughlin was born March 16, 1875, and was prominent in business and social life here. He was married in Cincinnati in 1902 to Miss Herron, a sister of Mrs. William H. Taft, and besides the widow he leaves two young sons, William, aged 6, and Thomas, aged 4, and two brothers, George M. Jr., of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Co., and Irwin B. Laughlin, secretary of the American embassy at Berlin.

Mr. Laughlin was a member of the executive board and secretary and treasurer of the Jones & Laughlin Co., also a bank director and member of many clubs. He was a graduate of Yale class of '97 and prepared at St. Paul's school, Concord, N. H.

CORPORATION TAX

CONSTITUTIONALITY OF THE LAW IN QUESTION

WASHINGTON, March 12.—"For taking away our charters," was one of the arguments of the American colonists against the king, Great Britain. At the time the declaration (containing these very words) was written the people of Vermont had already rendered conspicuous service in the war of independence. It would be an apt motto for the present, after them up to the present time and also to tell the controller whether Coleman's defection could not have been discovered sooner if Pepper's examinations had been made thorough and Coleman's superiors had exercised greater vigilance.

While there is no desire to produce anyone in advance of a thorough knowledge of all the facts, it is clearly the belief of officials in the office of the controller that the defection would not have occurred if the bank officers had been as diligent as the law requires them or if Pepper's examinations had been more searching.

Controller Murray yesterday received a letter from Examiner Hann, who is outspoken in his condemnation of the lax conduct of the officers of the bank. Coleman's defection he terms "palpable and glaring" and he says it could never have been hidden if the officials of the bank had followed the instructions of the controller relating to the conduct and duties of bank officers, and ordinary diligence had been used.

He makes it plain that he is clearly of the opinion that the officers did not

CO. K. INSPECTED

Company K, Sixth regiment, was inspected by Major James E. Smythe, of the inspector general's department, at the state armory in Westford street, last night. Assisting in the inspection were Major Benson, of the third battalion of the Sixth, Lieut. Kendall and Col. G. H. Priest. Present were Lieut. McDowell and Sergt. J. Albert of Company B, of Fitchburg.

Company M, Ninth regiment was inspected on Tuesday night, by Lieut. Wolcott, of the inspector general's department, and Major Dunn of Lawrence. Company G, Sixth regiment, will be inspected on the evening of March 21st, and Company C will be inspected on the evening of April 1st.

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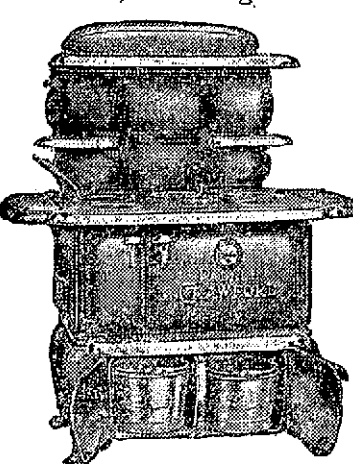
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BANK OFFICERS

Are Blamed by Examiner Hann

WASHINGTON, March 12.—National Bank Examiner Samuel M. Hann of Baltimore, who was sent by the controller of the currency to take charge of the affairs of the National City bank of Cambridge after the suspension of Bank Examiner Ellis S. Draper, will come to Washington Monday to make a verbal report to the controller on the condition of the bank as he has found it.

He will also make a report on the condition of the bank as he has found it. He will also make a report on the condition of the bank as he has found it. He will also make a report on the condition of the bank as he has found it.

BRADLEY WILL

TESTATOR DID NOT SIGN THE DOCUMENT

The will of Elizabeth G. Bradley, in Haverhill, which left most of her money to socialism and a bequest to a Lowell relative will probably be allowed by the court although the document is not legally signed. The will is in the testator's own handwriting but the signature was omitted. The estate will amount to about \$5000.

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